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Board votes McCoy another round

by Jeff Nazzaro

The Wilmington Board of Selectmen, by a 2-1 vote, decided Monday to hear, at a date to be determined later, the application of Selectman Michael McCoy for a liquor license for what will be the third time in nearly two years.

The board was down to three members - Selectmen Jim Rooney, Robert Cain and Dan Wandell - after both McCoy and Chairman Diane Allan recused themselves. McCoy's was standard and obvious conflict of interest stuff. Allan, on the other hand, was reacting to a decision by the Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission earlier this month that said she was biased in voting against McCoy's license the second time around in August of 1995.

Allan, reading from a prepared statement prior to leaving the room, contended the ABCC declared no such bias, and did not request that she recuse herself.

"The ABCC has remanded this application back to this board for a further hearing because they said I did not fully disclose my prior, public disagreements with Mr. McCoy. The ABCC never concluded that I was biased, nor did they request that I recuse myself from any further discussions relative to this liquor license."

But in its decision, the ABCC did in fact write that Allan's failure to disclose at the August 1995 hearing constituted bias. The decision also specifically allows counsel for the applicant to file a motion to recuse Allan based on her previous involvement with McCoy which was never disclosed.

"Courts have held that exclusive knowledge of facts constitutes bias," the ABCC stated in its decision.

In the end though, Allan's decision to not take part in any more McCoy liquor license proceedings most likely stemmed from the all-but-promised civil lawsuit from McCoy's attorney, Daniel J. O'Connell III of Boston, if Allan did not recuse herself. Allan addressed the likelihood of a civil suit and took issue with in her statement.

"I, as an individual and a duly elected public official, have been intimidated as I have attempted to defend my unequivocal right to represent the people of this community," Allan stated. "Re-

cent disclosures at the ABCC hearings that the applicant could attempt to sue me personally should I participate in a rehearing have forced me to question my personal desire to devote any more time or energy to this matter, as I do not believe any public official should have to function under the threat of a personal lawsuit."

Allan continued to say that she would leave Monday's statement as her last in regards to this issue. She said she had no regrets with her vote and that her "votes have been influenced only by the community. ..."

Allan's closing request was that Rooney chair the meeting for the license discussion, which drew an immediate objection from Cain, who was upset that he, as senior member, was not asked to assume the chairmanship. Cain said that it was the board's usual procedure to name the senior member or most recent chairman as interim chairman in such cases.

"I think this is the most difficult board that I've ever been involved with," Cain said, charging that "decisions are made before the meetings" and, in this case, the "choice of chairman was made so the applicant does not get a fair hearing."

But Rooney certainly appeared the best choice, considering he was the only member of the board not involved with the ABCC hearing. Cain was subpoenaed as a witness on McCoy's behalf, Wandell to testify on behalf of Allan at the ABCC hearing.

Last August, Allan and Wandell voted against the license, Rooney and Cain in favor.

Rooney, less than a year on the board, admitted he didn't know what he was doing as chairman and called on Town Manager Michael Cairra for assistance, after he had Cairra read the ABCC decision into the record. Rooney then expressed the board's three options - rehear the matter that night, appeal the case to Superior Court, or continue the case and rehear it at a later date - and then let Cain speak the aforementioned.

After Cain spoke, Rooney recognized O'Connell, who, in saying that the ABCC decision was an "appropriate resolution" and that "the license should have been issued long ago," asked that the board rehear the issue that night. O'Connell said he or McCoy did

not want any "shortcuts" but that "everything is in order to the extent that it could be ... and I would suggest that you vote on it right now."

O'Connell's argument was that the three remaining members had already heard the case and that little or nothing was likely to change in the event of a rehearing.

McCoy also had both a supporter - Kathi Gillis - and a detractor - John Forrest - in the audience. Forrest said he wanted to see another public hearing for the benefit of those abutters of Michael's Place who opposed the license in August but who were not present Monday. Gillis said all abutters' testimony, and all other evidence, was heard in August and that the board should vote right away.

After that, Wandell, who based his vote in August on the testimony of abutters opposing the license, moved that the board hold a public hearing April 22, a motion seconded by Rooney.

During discussion, Cain argued that Allan's prior vote was "nullified" by the ABCC and that the vote should stand without Allan's at 2-1 in favor. O'Connell then suggested again that the board vote.

Rooney would of course swing the vote, and citing his and McCoy's past adumance for gaining public input, voted, along with Wandell, to hold a new hearing April 22.

But O'Connell said he had a scheduling problem with that date. With that in mind, Wandell amended his motion to include an open-ended date. The next meeting is slated for May 13, which is now the earliest the new hearing will be held.

After, O'Connell and McCoy said they respected Rooney's decision.

"It's hard to fault somebody who says they want to go through and have a new hearing," O'Connell said, adding that even still he felt a new hearing was unnecessary. "You can't really quarrel with that."

Founder of Wilmington Rotary Club dies at age 82

John F. Gleason of Tewksbury, who founded both the Wilmington and Tewksbury Rotary Clubs, died on Tuesday at the age of 82, after a long bout with pneumonia.

Gleason's list of accomplishments and memberships is lengthy, from sitting on the board of directors of the Lowell Five and Saint John's Hospital to his admittance into the prestigious Knights of Malta order.

John Gleason's obituary appears on page 11 of this week's edition of the Town Crier.



Check. Check. Check. Check. That's four flannel shirts. Brian Anderson and his daughter Renie go over the list one last time before taking off to England. The Strings Attached musicians and chaperones and Town Crier Editor Jeff Nazzaro arrived in London early this morning. The group will be in Holmfirth for a week, completing a musical swap between the two towns. Don't miss next week's Town Crier for a full report!

Still searching for a Good Guy

by Jeff Nazzaro

Thirty years ago, a group of Wilmington residents took notice of all the good things one Rocco DePasquale was doing in town and decided to honor him. Rocco became Wilmington's original Good Guy.

Three decades and 31 Good Guys later (there were two one year) the Wilmington Good Guy Committee is looking for another.

Right now the committee, chaired by last year's Good Guy, Ed Whitney, has a handful of nomination letters, so they know Good Old Ed wasn't the last of the good guys in town. Still, the committee knows what a great town Wilmington is and knows that they're being held out on - there are a lot more good guys out there whose good friends and families aren't yet spreading the word.

So while you're making up your mind about which one of your good guy friends, neighbors or relatives to nominate for this special honor, it may help to know a little bit about what makes a good guy a "Good Guy".

The award is designed to honor that certain special someone (non-political, of course) who goes above and beyond the call of duty to make Wilmington a better place to live. A Good Guy gives of himself to the benefit of those around him. And the him doesn't have to be a him, either. There have been plenty of Good Gals, too! A Good Guy is young or old, and doesn't need power, wealth or prestige. He or she just needs to be ... a Good Guy.

Once the committee goes through all its nomination letters,

it actually selects a Good Guy. Then there's a bash at the Knights of Columbus.

Between (supposed) comedy skits and gathered around friends and family, the Good Guy is showered with gifts and praise and recognition. But its really not about all that stuff. No, the Good Guy Banquet is there so that ... yes, everyone the poor guy or gal ever knew can take pot shots at him or her all night long ... and just for being a Good Guy.

That's not exactly accurate, but the banquet is a super fun way of recognizing all the good a person has done for the community. And hey, who can stand all that sweet, mushy praise and adulation stuff anyway? Ya gotta rag on the guy a little too.

So nominate that person you see

giving of himself for this and donating that and working on the other thing, if for no other reason than to publicly air that really embarrassing story you've been clinging to for years about your mother or father or uncle or cousin or sister or neighbor.

C'mon, everyone knows at least one Good Guy.

If you know of anyone you feel deserves this honor, don't hesitate to submit a nomination letter containing the nominee's name and your reasons for why that person is a good guy and should be the "Good Guy". Nominations must include the nominator's name, address and telephone number.

Mail nominations to: The "Good Guy" Committee, P.O. Box 147, Wilmington, MA 01887.

Carter Lecture takes you to Peru

Thursday, April 25, the Sarah D.J. Carter Lecture Fund Committee will present "The Search for Patiti, Last Refuge of the Inca," at Barrows Auditorium, WHS. Patiti is a region of densely covered hills, ravines and swift rivers containing ancient Incan and pre-Incan remains, terraces, tombs, walls, stone buildings and many ceramic and metal artifacts as well as a rockface with markings unseen anywhere else in the Andean world. Gregory Deyermenjian, a Fellow of the Royal Geographic Society and the Explorers Club and member

of the Andean Explorers Foundation and the Peruvian Foundation for the Conservation of Nature, will present this intriguing program. He has made nine expeditions exploring the eastern most ranges of the Andes. He has descended through the cloud cover into the "Selva-Alta" where he joined the jungle dwelling Machiguenga Indians, who were thought to be the guardians of Patiti. Admission is free. Parking is not allowed on the Adams Street side of the high school. Entrance is at the front of the Building.

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Jillian Doyle fills out an information card for UMass Boston, one of the many universities represented at the Career and College Fair held at Tewksbury Memorial High School Tuesday night (photo by Karen Miethe).

Hundreds of students attend college day

by Karen Miethe
Students in Tewksbury, and those throughout the Merrimac Valley, got the opportunity to meet with representatives from 100 colleges based in different parts of New England in Tewksbury Memorial High School's gymnasium Tuesday, April 9. This was the second annual Career and College Fair held at the high school.

The United States Armed Services were also represented. Enlisted men and women from the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marines were available to answer questions about life in the military.

Among the many colleges represented were Boston University, Curry College, Harvard University, Lesley College, University of Massachusetts in Boston, Lowell, and Amherst, respectively, and Northeastern University.

Planning committee member and school guidance counselor Elizabeth

Gaffney was pleased with the turnout.

"Every area high school was invited. It's a wonderful thing for our kids and a great service to the Merrimac valley. For Tewksbury students, this means they can come right to their own gym and find out

a lot of information. I just hope the weather holds out," she said.

The most overheard comment from students talking to school representatives was, "I want to be far enough away from home so that I can live away, but close enough so I can get home."

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Old cleaners, new owners

by Karen Miethe

There's a new dry cleaners in town. Actually, it's where an old dry cleaners formally set up shop.

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Editorial

Hummm... Maybe it's time

The City of Tewksbury?

by Bill Conlon

On Wednesday morning, it was announced that Amesbury has become the newest "city" in Massachusetts, after voting to throw out the Town Meeting form of government in favor of a strong mayor and a city council with nine members.

Tewksbury could follow that same path, but it's up to the voters.

On Saturday, in the Tewksbury town election, there is a non-binding "advisory" question. Question 2 asks: "Shall the town study whether to change the present open Town Meeting and Selectmen - Town Manager (Chapter 275, Acts of 1986, as amended) form of government in the Town of Tewksbury?"

Pure and simple -- Should the town consider abolishing Town Meeting and switching to a different form of government? Do you think the issue is worth further study, for possible future action?

The Annual Town Meeting begins May 6, and if the turnout is consistent with history, two or three percent of the population will show up to vote on the town's business. If ten percent of the population showed up on May 6, it is uncertain whether there would be enough room to seat all 2,800. (They would find a way to make room -- bank on it!)

Hands-on government works well in a small town. A glance through the historical records of the town (those that still survive) showed that in past centuries, Tewksbury held town meetings often. It was not unusual to see several town meetings in a matter of weeks.

But things are different today. Most residents of town today hardly know the people living on their street, let alone the residents on the far side of town. Someone on River Road, for example, probably couldn't name 20 of his "neighbors" living on Wolcott Street. Yet somehow, all these disparate people are expected to gather in one place and decide what is best for all 28,000 residents of town.

Instead, wouldn't it make more sense (and be more equitable) for each part of town to elect its own representative, who would then serve on the Tewksbury City Council? Elect someone from Wolcott Street, and one from River Road, and one from Vale Street for that matter, and let them all sit down and decide what is best for the town as a whole.

Giving up Town Meeting would be difficult, after 262 years of calling the populace together to make decisions. But it may be time for a change.

For our part, the Fourth Estate vows to keep you -- the voter -- informed about what your government is doing, whether the decisions are made by Town Meeting, the City Council, or the Grand High Poobah. We vow to keep you posted, to the best of our ability.

Please get out and vote this Saturday. Your opinion about the viability of Town Meeting is humbly requested, on Question 2.

"You should be ashamed of yourself..."

Dear Larz:

I noticed in your paper last week, Diane Allan talks about Mike McCoy's character and fitness. It seems to me that she, and only she, is talking about his character and fitness. Could it be, Mrs. Allan, that he is running against you for selectman and because of Mike McCoy, you are exposed for what you really are, and that is being biased and a fraud.

I wonder, Mrs. Allan, would his character and fitness be better if he voted along with you in not appointing the town manager? I wonder, would his character and fitness be better if he was silent about the water and sewer

investigation which exposed you and former Selectman Gerry Duggan's relatives and your very good friend, Arthur Smith in illegal activities against the town?

I wonder, is Mr. McCoy's liquor license vote political? You bet it is. You should be ashamed of yourself using your position as a selectman to damage a man's livelihood with which he supports wife and three young children - all because of a vote. Shame on you. I hope people remember this Election Day and that their votes count, and vote you and your dirty politics out.

Thank you,
Carmelo S. Rizzo.

In Praise of Thomas Jefferson

Dear Larz:

April 13 is the birthday of a man who brought a revolutionary change in our lives. Never again would we be forced to do the will of a monarch. We would be the only country in the world where the people would choose their leader. We would be the freest in the world, and the world would follow our revolution.

Thomas Jefferson, one of our greatest presidents, helped grant us the freedom and protection of our Bill of Rights, and was the main brilliant author of our Declaration of Independence, setting the tone for our revolution: "We hold these truths to be self-

evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness."

He achieved enough knowledge to be a lawyer, architect, inventor, farmer, and author of the most interesting books, such as "Notes on Virginia." This, and books of his compiled writings, which include his letters, can be procured at any bookstore or library. His great thoughts are sure to raise your intelligence.

Respectfully,
John N. Marguire III

Do the Selectmen Care?

Dear Larz:

If you are a Tewksbury resident, it could take less time to have a baby than to get a response from your selectmen.

In June of 1995 we wrote to the board of selectmen regarding concerns we had about how the zoning board of appeals was being run. We addressed these concerns to the ZBA but had been ignored.

In August, when we had not heard from the selectmen, we called two members and were told that our concerns were being discussed with town counsel and the chairman of the ZBA and that we would hear from them in "about two weeks."

In October we received a letter apologizing for the "lateness in responding" stating that "our questions and concerns had been reviewed" and we would receive a

response in the "very near future."

Is six months to be considered the "very near future?" It is now April, ten months since we originally wrote to the board of selectmen and we are still waiting for some sort of answer to our questions.

We constantly hear that the residents of Tewksbury don't take an active interest in town government. We are concerned, taxpayers, voting residents who have often taken the time to be concerned about our town and its government.

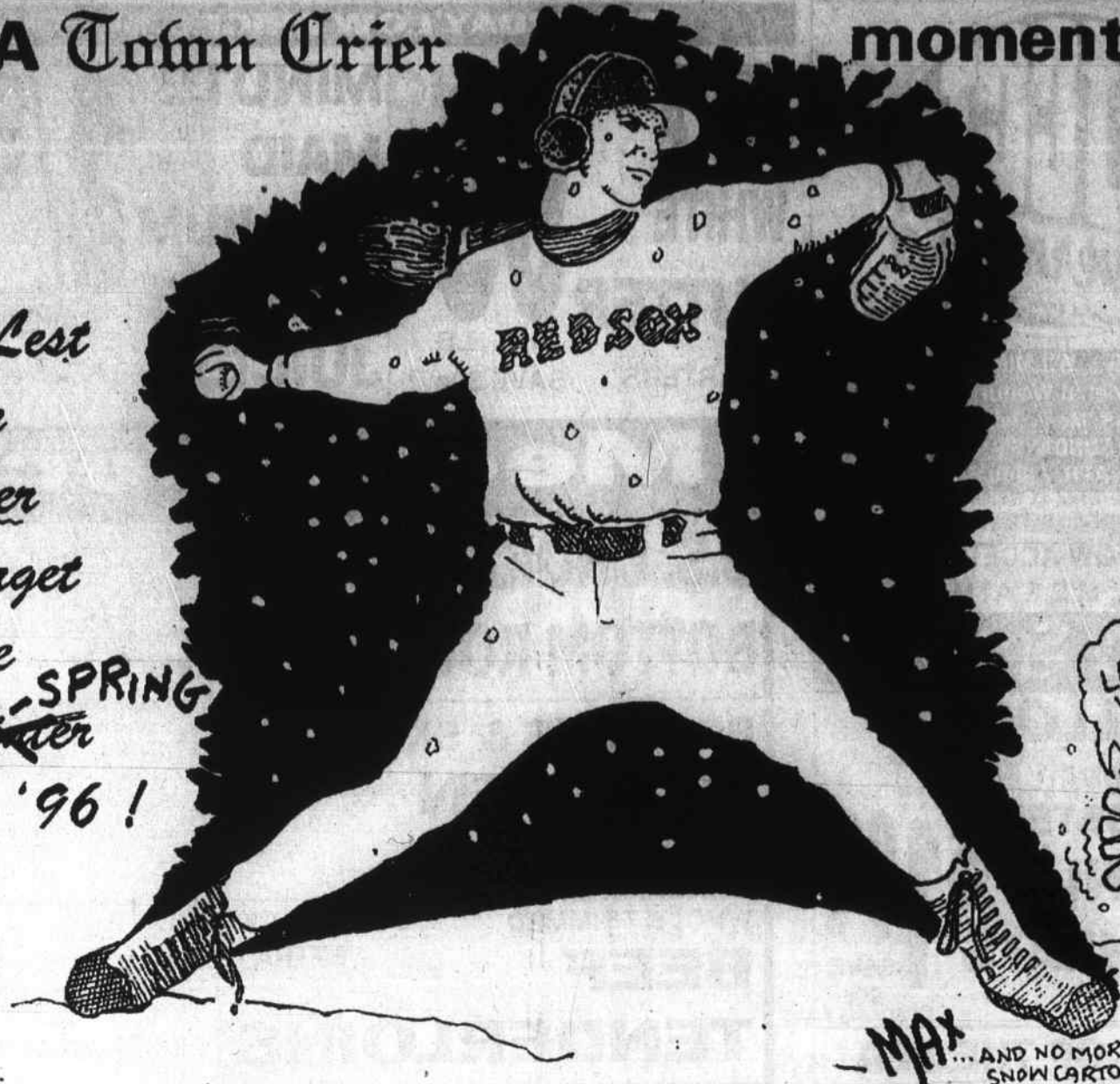
Wouldn't it be nice to have a board of selectmen who cares about the concerns of the residents of Tewksbury?

Sincerely,
Mary Van Brunt

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Letters to the editor

Parents Beware of Abandoned House

Dear Larz:

Parents, be aware! There is danger lurking in your backyard if you live in the area of School Street, South Tewksbury.

To be more precise, the abandoned home on School Street. This home is a potential death trap for young children and animals. Please keep your loved ones away.

I have been asking the town about this home for two years, and I keep getting the run around - the usual "sorry, we cannot do anything, thank you for your concern." Well I am concerned. The house is very dangerous and something needs to be done.

It all started about two years ago when the current owners found they had a gas leak. They found out that the land around the home had shifted, which in turn caused the gas line to break.

The owners were ordered out of the house. The gas was then turned off and the problem was considered solved (how typical).

Well the problem was not solved, because the land around the home kept shifting with or with-

out the gas hooked up. At that time the owners decided not to return to the home, leaving it vacant for the past two years.

Time has taken its toll on the house and it has become a danger to the community. Some of the dangers are as follows:

- Yard area at foundation has settled, exposing the space under the footing.
- Front and side steps have settled away from the dwelling.
- The sewer line exiting the rear of the dwelling is at the point of breaking due to yard settling.
- Electric meter has been broken, probably by vandals.
- The walkway leading to the side stairs has pulled away from the house and shifted to about a 45 degree angle.

I know about these problems because I made a formal complaint to the building commissioner of Tewksbury. A Mr. Richard Colantuoni wrote back stating that they examined the property and found these potentially hazardous situations. He also stated that he is currently trying to find the own-

ers, although there is no forwarding address, to take care of their property.

The owners left two years ago and have never looked back. I feel bad for the owners to be in this situation, but they abandoned the home and left the community with the mess.

I do not think they are going to just show up one day to fix these problems. I think it is time that the Town of Tewksbury needs to step in and do something about this.

Of course, when I have contacted the town before they have told me that the house is "safe." I must be missing the point, because this does not sound like a safe home to me.

The home was built on "wet"

land and seems to always have water problems. People who have lived in this area for a long time remember skating in the winter on the "pond." So maybe wet land should remain just that, "wet." Maybe the town should not allow buildings to be erected on these sites.

If you live in this area and have any concerns for this problem, please take the time to let your town counsel or building inspector know your concerns. A phone call or a letter voicing your concerns may help. We need to work together to keep our community safe for the children.

Thank you for taking the time to hear me out.

Sincerely,
Donna M. Scannell

Walking to Help Women's Causes

Dear Larz:

I am planning to attend the Walk for Women's lives on Sunday, April 28 in Concord, Mass. This event will benefit local rape crisis centers and battered women's shelters.

These organizations provide safety, counseling and support to help women and their families put the violence behind them and rebuild their lives. They are also responsible for educating the community on these issues and helping women find the resources they need.

Chances are that you know someone who has either needed these services or might someday. I want to make sure these agencies can continue to be available to us when we need them.

I am writing to ask everyone in the community to join me at the Walk. Each year this program raises more than \$20,000 that goes directly to helping women in the Middlesex County area. The organizers are hoping to double that amount this year, and I want to help them.

Others who want to get involved can encourage friends and colleagues to walk, find sponsors, and participate in the rally to show support for preventing domestic violence and providing services for survivors.

I urge everyone to call (508) 937-5777 and request a Walker Kit, and make time on Sunday, April 28 for this important cause.

Sincerely,
Donna Heffron

Is "Sudden Interest" too Sudden?

Dear Larz:

I found last week's letters to the editor quite interesting, especially Mark Haldane's comments supporting both Mr. McCoy and Mr. Mahoney.

I thought to myself, what's the connection? I'll get to that, but I thought I would write about the letter's content.

First, I was amused to see that Mr. Haldane believes Mr. McCoy has "matured" in recent years. The maturation process occurred because Mr. McCoy's business interest in town could be enhanced by obtaining a liquor license. As a result, Mr. McCoy learned to somewhat control his temper.

I didn't realize that Mr. McCoy's business is being "destroyed" (in Mr. Haldane's words) by not getting the license. Is the conclusion to be reached that

without the license he will get out of the business? I have serious doubts about that!

Mr. Mahoney is a new player to the game although he has lived in town for a number of years. What I don't understand is that Mr. Mahoney was not registered to vote until just before the December 1995 Special Town Meeting.

I believe this sudden interest in participation in town government was due to the fact that he was presenting an article at the special town meeting that would benefit his business.

So it certainly makes sense to me why these candidates should be linked together. I can hear the slogan now, "McCoy and Mahoney: you give us a vote, we'll give you the business."

Sincerely,
John Sullivan

McCoy's Remarks Unnecessary

Dear Larz:

We attended the League of Women Voters candidate forum at the Shawshen School to become better informed voters.

Mr. McCoy's disparaging remarks about Everett and Revere were uncalled for and hurtful. It shouldn't be necessary to tear down other communities in order

to build oneself up.

His "clotheslines strung from house to house" comment was funny and got him a chuckle from the audience but it won't win the votes of people like us who still have friends and family living in the city.

M. and R. Gunderson,
Formerly of Everett, Mass.

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Letters

"The present answer is unacceptable..."

Dear Larz:
One of the most important duties of a selectman is to evaluate the job performance of the Town Manager. Mrs. Allen has had three years to accomplish this and report to the people of her findings.
Mrs. Allen can give one of two acceptable answers:
1) The Town Manager is doing a good job and I will vote to reappoint him.
2) The Town Manager is doing a poor job and I will not vote to reappoint him.
The present answer is unacceptable i.e. AFTER the election I will have an unknown group of people do the job I was supposed to be doing and THEN let the voters know my decision.
Sincerely,
George Boylen,
former Wilmington Selectman

Help Out Your Local Dog Officer

Dear Larz:
I recently read with disgust the letter to the editor from Mary Durkee about a dog that killed her caged rabbit. Evidently someone was with the dog, but did not accept responsibility for what his loose dog did. I lived in Wilmington for several years and was not encouraged by what I saw in response to animal control concerning both pet owners and the town. There seems to be an "act after the fact" attitude instead of a "what can we do to prevent" attitude from both sides. I frequently read stories about dog problems that with a little education on behalf of the dog owner and town could have been prevented. Also, there were multiple occasions that I called for assistance with dogs and once a potentially rabid raccoon out in an area with children playing close by and got no response from the town.
I know Ellen Davis, the animal control officer, and realize that she does the best she can. The problem lies with a town unwilling to give her the support and money she needs to do her job effectively. She is only on part time according to what I was told last time I had a stray I needed picked up. (Fourth of July, the dog followed me into DeMoulas and the police told me to let the dog go - on a busy street compounded with Fourth traffic and mayhem at 7 p.m. Due to a geriatric dog at home and a house I did not own, I could not take it for the night so I could take it to the MSPCA in the morning). Ellen was off and I ended up at the police station with the dog. Come to find out, the owner was notorious for letting him run loose. Wilmington has a leash law...Blame also lies heavily with dog owners refusing to comply with leash laws or not securely fencing/kenneling pets.

For the summer of '95, I decided that I would try to get an obedience class opened through the town recreation department. I have experience with dog training (training since junior high, obedience titling three, Canine Good Citizen certified three, involvement in pet therapy at a local, Wilmington Nursing Home and Agility along with Obedience). I offered to volunteer as an instructor. I had the support of many residents who had seen my dogs "in action" and the rec. dept. head was for the idea. Last minute, when the summer schedule of events was to go to print, the town manager struck only this class idea down and would not answer my phone calls when I tried to find out why. What I got from another employee was dog obedience classes are not necessary! I was appalled! On top of that, having a town of the size of Wilmington with one, part time animal control officer is beyond belief! Evidently, the town needs to do something but is reluctant. I encourage the residents to get involved.

Consider volunteering with animal control on the days she does not work. Push again for a rec. dept. run obedience program. Encourage Canine Good Citizen tests and maybe a canine education day similar to the one held when NEADS held a benefit on the Common but advertise it more! Responsible dog owners need to get involved with changing and encouraging the enforcing of laws fair to both residents and dog owners - do not sit around and complain. Both dog owners and non-dog owners need to work together, find a common ground and then make the town comply to your wishes.

I feel for Mary Durkee, my husband and I have known her for years. I also have rabbits and know how I'd feel if a dog got at them. But not all dog owners are irresponsible idiots - just enough to make life hell for all. And combined with an apathetic town government, the combination can be deadly...

K. Peak,
Methuen
formerly of Wilmington

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In Support of Michael Newhouse

Dear Larz:
It has been a long time in Wilmington politics since we have witnessed such a clean and positive campaign for the office of selectman. I believe credit for that fact goes more to the two new contenders and in particular to candidate Michael Newhouse.
His public challenge to all the candidates to run a positive campaign on the issues has set the tone for this year's contest. I also give Mr. Newhouse credit for having the political courage to confront a sensitive and difficult issue that will face the next board of selectmen. I am specifically referring to the Woods Case.
Although I, like most people, do not favor the development of 5,000 square foot lots, I do respect Mr. Newhouse for his stand

in support of the law which protects the rights of us all.

I am making reference to Mr. Newhouse's role in joining with other local attorneys in filing a legal brief about zoning in the Town of Wilmington. He obviously knew he would be running for public office and could have just as easily declined to get involved in the court's review of the Woods Case.

Now that the court has ruled against the town and in favor of the Woods family, the next board of selectmen will have to address the impact of the Woods case.

I for one would like to see a candidate like Michael Newhouse become selectman, because he will have the courage to make the right decisions and not just the popular ones.

Harry Cunningham

McCoy Has Come a Long Way

Dear Larz:
When I retired from the Board of Selectmen in 1987, my replacement was Mike McCoy. As many of you will remember, Mike and I have had our share of differences, which I suppose is the nature of politics and town government, and for that matter - life.

However, I have closely followed Mike McCoy's development as a leader in our community. Simply put, he's changed for the better. In his second term as a selectman, Mike McCoy has become that independent voice he has always claimed to be and he has impressed me as a man who has become staid and considerate as an elected official in Wilmington.

Mike McCoy has matured as an individual and as a selectman. Unlike his first term, he is now a husband and a father who understands the importance of those roles and is working with town officials to address the issues that concern our young families.

Mike McCoy is a friend of the seniors who has promoted services for those in need and is committed to maintaining the quality of life in Wilmington and keeping our town suburban in character.

Mike McCoy understands that wanting to be a selectman does not mean wanting to be the town manager. Mike McCoy wants to do his job and let the town manager do his.

These are some of the reason for which I support the reelection of Mike McCoy and will be casting a vote for him when I go to the polls later this month.

I hope the voters of Wilmington will do like wise. I believe that a vote for Mike McCoy is an endorsement of our professional town manager and a vote for an independent selectman who has had to pay a price for standing up for what is right.

Sincerely,
Rocco V. DePasquale

Overcrowding in Wilmington's Schools

Dear Larz:
On the subject of overcrowding in the Wilmington schools due to increased enrollment as a result of the purchase of new homes, is it unreasonable to suggest that those who profit from this construction be obliged to pay a percentage of their gain into a fund for education? This agreement would be

mandatory before granting a permit to build multiple housing in the town.

If the population continues to grow at its present rate, such a solution would alleviate the burden on taxpayers of the future.

Respectfully submitted,
Dora M. Hirtle

Selectmen Should be Ashamed

Dear Larz:
Monday night's Selectmen's meeting was a disgrace. It lacked decency and compassion and did a pretty good job of displaying the hatred and vindictiveness that certain board members feel for Michael McCoy.

It is so obvious that Allan, Rooney and Wandell planned their strategy on McCoy's liquor license in advance. Allan, who never should have voted on the license to begin with due to her bias, unexpectedly recused herself from the vote after telling all the newspapers last week that she would not. It seemed then that with her out, the license would be a done deal because Cain and Rooney had voted for it last August with only Wandell opposed.

The game plan very quickly went into play, however. As Allan left the room, she handed the gavel to Rooney, which was unprecedented since the chair always goes to the most senior member of the board,

in this case Bob Cain. With Rooney at the helm, McCoy's lawyer asked the board to vote on the license again. Since the three members present were the three who had voted last August, Wandell then asked that the vote be tabled to the April 22 meeting, which is after the town elections, and Rooney went along with it. Obviously Wandell and Rooney are counting on Allan winning, McCoy losing, and then getting a "no" vote on the license from Newhouse (more likely) or Mahoney. This would enable Rooney to still vote yes, but have the license denied, something Mrs. Allan, Mr. Wandell and Mr. Miceli so desperately want.

One simple 30 second vote Monday night could have given Michael McCoy his license. Jim Rooney could have done the right and fair thing!

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Saturday, April 13, 1996

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Kindergarten students at the Boutwell Street School get into the "Tidepool Experience" Monday, April 8. From left to right, Keven Skinner, Nicole Engrem, Casey Godscyk, and Alexander Solon check out some snails brought in by the New England Aquarium (photo by Karen Miethe).

Remarkable Creatures!

by Karen Miethe
Sixteen kindergarten students at the Boutwell School in Wilmington got a first hand look, albeit a cold hand, at some of the ocean's sea creatures Monday, April eighth. "The Tidepool Experience", sponsored by the New England Aquarium gave the kids the chance to hold some pretty remarkable

creatures such as snails, hermit crabs, starfish, and sea urchins.

"Whew, the water is cold," one student laughed after fishing around to pick up a hermit crab.

Before getting to handle the sea animals, students listened to Scott from the New England Aquarium talk about all the animals, how they live, and what they have in common

with people.

All of the kids were amazed to learn that a sea urchin has about five hundred feet, no eyes, and one mouth.

"The Tidepool Experience" was divided up over three different days so that all of the students could enjoy and learn about what wonders the ocean holds.

Dynamics Research acquires Support Systems Associates

Dynamics Research Corporation has announced that it has completed the acquisition of the Massachusetts based operations of Support Systems Associates, Inc., (SSAI) a private company headquartered in Hauppauge, N.Y. DRC paid \$2 million in cash for the acquired business which had revenue of approximately \$5.9 million in 1995 in support of the U.S. Air Force Electronic Systems Center at Hanscom Air Force Base.

Albert Rand, president and CEO said, "The acquisition of the SSAI business at Hanscom Air Force Base

is a major accomplishment in our effort to strengthen the Air Force management support services portion of our Systems Division. The combination of our existing business base and resources with the SSAI contractual vehicles enhances our competitiveness in this important business area."

DRC has been a major management support services contractor at Hanscom Air Force Base for over a decade. The Massachusetts based operation of SSAI includes a prime contract to provide services under the Air Force's Technical & Engineering

Management Support (TEMS) program. The TEMS contract has an unfunded backlog with a potential value of approximately \$24 million that may be used to support both existing business and new tasking over the next three years.

Dynamics Research Corporation develops and operates computer and communications intensive information systems, provides engineering and management support services, and produces precision manufactured components for industrial measurement and control.

Who is Michael Newhouse?

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ECRM names account representative
ECRM has recently named James Frankiewicz of Riverside, Ill., account representative. In his new role, Frankiewicz will oversee all ECRM sales and dealer organization activities throughout ECRM's north central sales region. Frankiewicz will be located at ECRM's Chicago office at 1300 Remington Road, Schaumburg, IL 60173. Phone: 708-843-9888.


Before joining ECRM, Frankiewicz operated his own business, Squid Ink Manufacturing, selling ink to ink-jet printer users. Previously, he was a sales representative for Linotype-Hell, and national accounts manager for Varityper, Inc. He also held the positions of sales representative, system specialist and district manager for Compugraphic Corporation from 1979 to 1989. Frankiewicz has a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Business from St. Joseph College.

Headquartered in Tewksbury, ECRM is a leading manufacturer of high resolution imagesetters and scanners for the graphic arts industry. The company is ISO 9002 certified. Over 15,000 Autokon laser scanners and PelBox imagesetters have been sold worldwide to tradeshops, commercial and in-plant printers, and newspapers.



David Jariosz hands over some baked goodies to Eileen McDonough at the Patten Library's bake sale (photo by Karen Mieth).

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Friends raise \$500 for library
by Karen Mieth
The Friends of the Harold J. Patten Library in Tewksbury held a bake sale and raffle Sat., April sixth to help support the many programs the library runs. According to "Friends" Treasurer Sue Andrew, \$350 was raised at the bake sale, and \$150 at the raffle.
"The money raised will go towards funding museum passes, children's activities in the summer, buying videotapes for the library. Basically just a variety of small things," said Andrew.
The goodies available on the bake sale table ranged from homemade breads and cranberry loaves to chocolate cupcakes and cakes.
At the raffle, 16 items were up for grabs, including decorative hats hand-made by a Tewksbury senior citizen, easter baskets for kids and adults, and Easter flowers donated by local flower shops.
Library trustee Donna Haines kept tabs on the raffle table.
"We keep the raffle table separate because we want to see how much the bake sale makes as opposed to the raffle table," said Haines.
If you didn't get a chance to stop by last Saturday, watch for a Bake/Book sale coming up in May!

WIS students of the month
The administration at Wilmington's West Intermediate School has released the names of its Students of the Month for March:
Sixth grade: Lindsay McKenna and Brian Martiniello.
Seventh grade: Michelle Tobin and Eric Farrell.
Eighth grade: Stephanie Lane and Anthony Szabo.
Specialists: Kelly Tavares and Jack Montalto.

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Tori Mendelson, 4, enjoys a heaping scoop of ice cream at the smorgasbord held at the Boutwell School on Tuesday night (photo by Karen Miethe).

Ice cream feast at Boutwell

by Karen Miethe
You scream, I scream, we all scream for ice cream!

There was no screaming, just plenty of happy faces at Tuesday's "Ice Cream Smorgasbord" held at the Boutwell School in Wilmington. Proceeds from the event went to the Boutwell School and PAC (Parent Advisory Council).

The cost per adult was one dollar; students, no charge; and a family over five people, five dollars.

Local politician James Mahoney donated \$1,200 worth of chocolate and vanilla ice cream, hot fudge, and whipped cream, but did they still make him pay the dollar donation to get in?

"That's a vicious rumor," laughed

Boutwell PAC member Marie Capone.

The toppings: cherries, crushed nuts, Oreo cookies, M&M candies, and rainbow sprinkles, were donated by the parents of students at the school.

All of the plastic ware: spoons, bowls was donated by Sweetheart Plastics.

Along with getting a tummy full of ice cream, for a mere twenty-five cents, kids could have their favorite sports logo or picture painted on their face.

Another smorgasbord was scheduled for Wednesday, April 10, but was postponed due to the inclement weather.

300 join "Book-It" program

A Book it celebration was held at the North Street School and Center School Kindergarten on April 1. Book It is a reading incentive program for children in grades K-5. More than 300 children successfully completed this year's goals. The program ran from October through February. Mr. Tsimsos, principal, Mrs. Conway, reading specialist and Mrs. Hughes,

parent volunteer and PAC member who assisted with the purchasing of awards and preparation of certificates, all participated in the awards ceremony.

A special recognition went to two first grade teachers, Mrs. Zantuhos and Ms. Breault, and their classes for having 100 percent participation.

Seminar on Care Insurance

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Do you need more information about costs and benefits?

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You might start by attending a free seminar at Emerson Hospital in Concord on Thursday, May 2 entitled: "Long Term Care Insurance - is it for you?"

The session will be held from 9:30 a.m. in the North Assembly Room. Sponsored by the Minuteman Home Care's Shine Program, the seminar will feature guest speakers Al Norman, the executive director of Mass. Home Care who will address consumer issues and Joseph Pulitano, insurance industry spokesman from Advanced Resources Marketing. His company is a brokerage agency which deals exclusively with long term care products. Both speakers are renowned in their fields and should inspire an interesting discussion.

We hope to address the following questions: What are your chances of needing long term care?; What are the alternatives to long term care insurance?; Can you afford long term care insurance?; How do you choose the right company?; Important features a policy should contain:

Several long term care insurance policies will be represented and agents will be available to distribute information. Seating is limited to 110.

The program is sponsored by Emerson Hospital's Social Service Department and the Minuteman Shine Program, a health benefits counseling program directed and administered by the Massachusetts Executive Office of Elder Affairs. For more information or to reserve a seat, call Cindy Phillips at 508-263-8720 at Minuteman Home Care.

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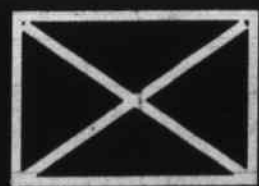
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640-0405**Wilmington police news****Arrests****Thursday, April 4**

John C. Scandino, 29, of 44 Winter St., Woburn. Arrested on Main Street on a Wilmington warrant. Scandino was taken to Woburn Court.

Saturday, April 6

Jimena Contresa-Barranza, 23, of 39 Union St., Woburn. Arrested on Main Street for operating with a revoked license.

Stacy A. Cloutier, 27, of 4 Letchworth Ave., Billerica. Arrested for operating under the influence.

Timothy Smalls, 30, of 61 Ridgeview St., Mattapan. Arrested for operating with a suspended license.

Sunday, April 7

Owen Leach, 44, of 63 Osgood St., Andover. Arrested for operating with a suspended license.

Dana Rogerson, of 24 Veranda Avenue, Wilmington. Arrested on a warrant.

Disturbances/Vandalism**Tuesday, April 2**

A passer-by noticed someone dumping asphalt in the woods on Palmer Way.

A car parked on Main Street was said to have been keyed. Five scratches in total were found on the car.

Wednesday, April 3

A large pot hole was discovered on South Street. DPW was dispatched.

Kids were said to be playing in an abandoned house on Veranda Avenue. Police will be checking the area.

A resident of Fordham Road reported receiving harassing phone calls.

A resident of Middlesex Avenue thought she heard a noise in her cellar. A large black and white cat crawled out from under the house. Everything was fine.

A resident of Salem Street reported receiving harassing phone calls.

Thursday, April 4

A stolen car out of Nashua was recovered on Industrial Way.

A resident of Jonspin Road reported one of the front tires on his car had been slashed.

A large black and white Akita dog was said to be running around loose on Main Street. Animal Control was notified.

A man reported kids were walking down Dewey Street throwing 45 RPM records in the street.

Kids on roller blades were reportedly causing a problem outside Market Basket at Wilmington Plaza.

Friday, April 5

A resident of Columbia Street reported his house had been egged overnight.

There was a report of kids climbing a telephone pole on Clark Street. Police checked the area but did not see any such kids.

A resident of Hopkins Street reported his mailbox had been smashed.

An employee at Simard's Restaurant on Main Street reported a car driving the wrong way through the drive-thru window there. Police spoke with the driver.

Saturday, April 6

A possum was said to be stuck in a trash barrel on Dorchester Avenue. Police got the possum out safely.

A resident of Quincy Street reported receiving threatening phone calls.

The driver of a four-wheel drive vehicle was spoken to by police after he was found to be speeding on Brentwood Avenue.

Sunday, April 7

A stolen car out of Somerville was recovered on Ballardvale Street.

Monday, April 8

A large tree branch was reported in the road on West Street.

A snowmobiler was told to stay off the road on Main Street.

Wires were reportedly hanging very low on Shawsheen Avenue.

Larcenies**Wednesday, April 3**

An employee at Wilmington Shell Station on Main Street reported a car took off without paying for \$20 worth of gasoline.

Thursday, April 4

Approximately 100 gallons of fuel were siphoned from a truck on Industrial Way.

Traffic Accidents**Monday, April 8**
A computer valued at \$8000 was reported stolen from Andover Street.**Tuesday, April 2**

Property damage only was reported following an accident on Shawsheen Avenue.

Wednesday, April 3

An accident involving personal injuries was reported on Main Street.

Property damage only was reported following an accident on Shawsheen Street.

Thursday, April 4

No personal injuries were reported following an accident on Ballardvale Street.

Friday, April 5

No injuries were reported following accidents on Main and Lowell streets.

Saturday, April 6

Property damage only was reported following an accident on Main Street.

A person riding on a bicycle was reportedly hit by a car on Main Street. The cyclist was taken to Winchester Hospital.

Monday, April 8

No injuries were reported following an accident on High Street.

Update: A pocketbook that was reported stolen from National Rx in Wilmington was not stolen, just misplaced.

The Greco home on Sheridan Rd in North Wilmington lost a tree in Sunday night's storm. Under the tree are two cars. One can only wonder how they made out in Tuesday night's storm!

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Back yard birding

Should we continue to feed the birds in the summer?

by Hugh Wiberg
Truly it has been said, "if you don't like New England weather, wait a minute."

As this column is being written (Monday morning, April 8) I am looking out the back window at three inches of fresh snow. Yes, we've had snow in Wilmington in Tewksbury in April before, but it is still a bit of a surprise to see the yellow and purple crocus in full bloom, poking bravely through the white blanket. More incongruous than that is to observe the newly bright yellow male goldfinches against the pure white background.

We are winding down another bird feeding season, which traditionally starts in late September and carries through to about mid April. The only really unusual aspect of this winter here in North Wilmington was not seeing a single purple or house finch, and yet we've had reports of them in other towns. This was offset by a very faithful flock of 40 or so goldfinches, which showed up almost every day.

One of the most commonly asked questions at the birding seminars I occasionally conduct is - should we continue to feed the birds throughout the spring and Summer? The concern is that we may be conditioning the birds to become too dependent on human hand-outs. Most ornithologists agree that, while it is not observably beneficial to feed the birds year-round, it does no harm to do so. (This is confirmed by Mass. Audubon in Lincoln). You will notice a dramatic dropoff in activity at your feeders after late April, when the warm weather triggers the production of a new crop of plants and insects. We keep a single sunflower feeder stocked right through the summer simply because we enjoy seeing the chickadees, titmice and nuthatches bustling around the yard. We also keep a suet

feeder active through May, to keep the woodpeckers happy until there are tons of insects available to them.

Another question I hear regularly is - is it worthwhile to spend a little more to buy the hull-less sunflower seeds? (sunflower hearts). I stopped putting out sunflower hearts several years ago when I accidentally discovered something while watching the finches dining on them. Through my binoculars I noticed that the finch would take a shell-less seed in its beak and promptly crack it in half. One half would be eaten, the other half fell to the ground. And this happened consistently. The result was that half the hearts were wasted, and were attracting squirrels to the yard. So my advice is - save your money; the birds don't appear to mind having to crack open the shell to get at the seed, and the waste factor is largely eliminated.

Mary Ann Rosen of Federal Street in Wilmington called late in March to report having watched a hawk pounce on and devour a blue jay. Mary Ann thinks the hawk was either a Cooper's or a Marsh hawk. This is a little unusual - the hawks typically dine on an occasional finch or junco in my observations. The chickadees and titmice appear to be a little too quick (or smart) to become hawk food.

Sharon Barron of Adams Street (near Parker Street) called recently to report a very rare sighting. Seems she observed a turkey vulture working on a raccoon carcass on her street. If you want to see a really ugly bird (by our human standards) look up the turkey vulture in your bird book. (pg 161 in Peterson's Eastern Birds Field Guide). This carrion eater is commonly seen soaring in the sky from Maryland on down to Florida, and appears to be expanding its range into New England. This is a truly impressive bird with a wingspread of five feet.

Sharon also reports seeing a mature bald eagle perched in a tree on Adams Street. This large bird had the classic field marks of fully white neck, head and tail, and dusky dark body. Bald eagles, nearly exterminated during the sixties due to the overuse of certain carcinogens in pesticides, has made a strong comeback, thanks largely to Rachel Carson's "Silent Spring." Hundreds of nesting pairs are now seen along the shores of southern and central Maine, and sightings along the Merrimack and Parker rivers are now common.

Diane Fielding of Hopkins Street in Wilmington called to say she has had three purple finches at her feeders most of the winter, and she

spotted a song sparrow (a migrator) feeding on the ground on April 2.

Finally, (an important point I should have mentioned last fall) be sure to empty and clean your bird feeders thoroughly at least once a month. Soak them in scalding water, to eliminate the presence of tiny disease carrying organisms which can harm the birds if left unchecked. It is a good idea to take your feeders inside just before a rain storm, to protect the seeds from spoiling.

Keep at least one sunflower feeder out this summer, and enjoy the constant company of the black capped chickadees and titmice! Perhaps we'll do more bird watching together next fall and winter.

Houghton & Mifflin moves to Wilmington

Houghton Mifflin & Co., the publishing company based in Boston, has occupied 41,000 square feet in 181 Ballardvale Street, Wilmington. Spaulding & Slye, the integrated real estate services firm with offices in Boston and Washington, DC represented owner New Boston Fund Inc. in the transaction.

Spaulding & Slye Vice President Curtis P. Oberg served as broker. McCall & Almy represented Houghton Mifflin in negotiations.

Houghton Mifflin uses the space primarily for customer support, which the company formerly provided at 1 Wayside Road in Burlington.

"We are extremely happy to have a high quality tenant like Houghton Mifflin," said Paul Stuart, Asset Manager for New Boston Fund. "With their occupancy, the building is now 100 percent leased."

The two story, 105,000 square foot office and research and development facility is located at the intersection of Routes 93 and 125. The exterior is brick with tinted glass windows. The building features a two story landscaped atrium lobby. Other tenants include Advanced TechCom Inc.

"The property fit Houghton Mifflin's location and price parameters," said Oberg. "It also provided a significant upgrade in terms of quality."

Houghton Mifflin is a leading publisher of textbooks, instructional technology, assessments, and other educational materials for the elementary and secondary school and college markets, as well as an extensive line of reference publications, fiction and non-fiction for adults and young readers, and multimedia entertainment products.

Obituary

John F. Gleason, Jr.

founded both Tewksbury and Wilmington Rotary Clubs

John F. Gleason, Jr., 82, a well known Greater Lowell area businessman, activist, philanthropist, benefactor, musician, and family man, died Tuesday April 9, 1996 at Blaire House of Tewksbury. His tireless and selfless dedication was manifest in his past membership on the boards of the Merrimack Valley United Fund, the Greater Lowell Chamber of Commerce, Saint John's Hospital, the Salvation Army, the Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank, the Yorick Club, and the Lowell Opera Company.

He was born in Lowell November 10, 1913, the son of the late John F. Gleason Sr., and Gertrude L. (Mahon) Gleason. He was raised in Lowell and graduated from Lowell High School. He was the widower of Catherine C. "Kit" (Conway) Gleason, who died October 29, 1991. He was the founder and owner of the Gleason Insurance Agency in Tewksbury and was past president of the Greater Lowell Association of Insurance Agents, and a member of the Independent Insurance Agents of Massachusetts.

While his fraternal accomplishments are numerous, he was especially proud of his membership in the Knights of Malta (The American Association of the Sovereign Military Order of Malta), as Charter President of the Tewksbury Rotary Club in 1961, as



a Past District Governor of Rotary International and as a Paul Harris Fellow of the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.

He was also the Club Advisor for several Merrimack Valley Rotary Clubs. He was a life member of the Tewksbury Wilmington Elks Lodge #2070, the Fr. Coppins Council Knights of Columbus, the Bishop Delaney Assembly of Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, the Champion Retreat League and the Greater Lowell Catholic Laymen's Society and St. William's Church Holy Name Society. Until recently, he was a daily communicant of St. William's 9 a.m. Mass and a Sunday usher.

His favorite projects included the annual Salvation Christmas "Kettle Drive," and in his earlier years he was a moving force behind the annual collaboration of the Lowell and Tewksbury Rotary Clubs presentation of Boston Pops Concert at the Lowell Memorial Auditorium.

As a veteran of World War II, he was Personnel Staff Sergeant of the 320th A.S.F. Band, Recruit Reception Center, Fort Devens. His veteran affiliations included the Tewksbury Veterans Association and American Legion Post 259.

His municipal activities included past memberships on the Tewksbury Industrial Commission, the Tewksbury School Building Committee and secretary of the Tewksbury Finance Committee. Musically, he played the French Horn and studied under the tutelage of Heinrich Lorbeer of Germany and the Boston Symphony Orchestra. For many years he was principal for the Boston Civic Symphony, Merrimack Valley Philharmonic, and the Lowell Opera Company orchestras. He was a member of the Lowell Musicians Association local 83 of the

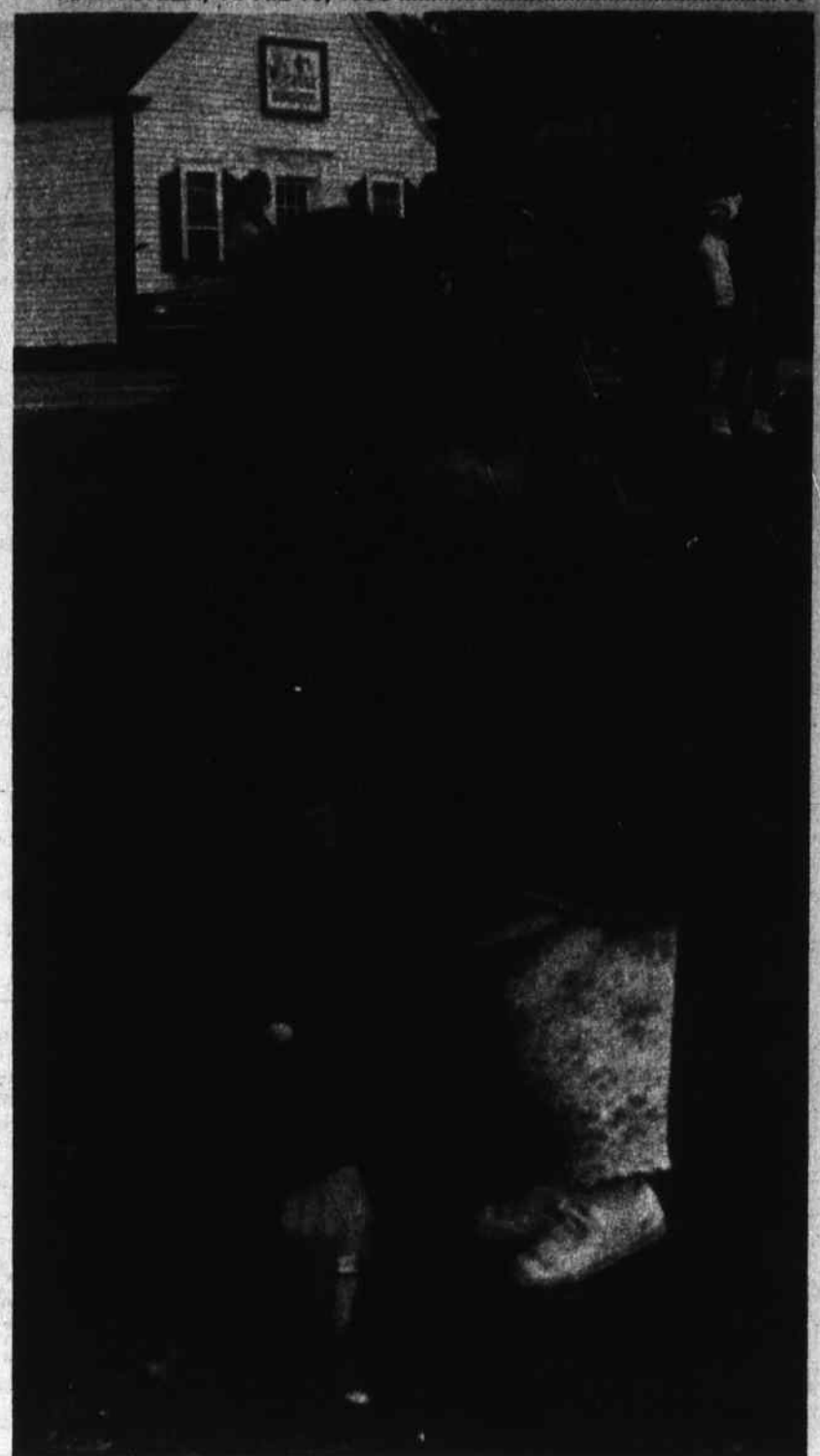
American Federation of Musicians and the Professional Musicians Club of the American Federation of Musicians. He was also a member of the Mt. Pleasant Golf Club.

Mr. Gleason is survived by two sons and daughters-in-law, Paul F. and his wife Ann (Liebrock) Gleason of Chelmsford, who now heads the Gleason Insurance Agency, Mark J. Gleason, Ph.D. and his wife Kristi Wermager of Northfield, Minn.; one daughter, Marie K. Gleason-Tada of Tokyo, Japan; one sister, Gertrude Gleason of Lowell and seven grandchildren.

His funeral is scheduled for Saturday at 8 a.m. from the Tewksbury Funeral Home, corner of Dewey and Main Streets (Rte 38) Tewksbury Center (800 or 508) 851-2950, followed by a funeral mass at St. William's Church, 1351 Main St. (Rte. 38) Tewksbury and burial in Tewksbury Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m. and Friday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

Memorial contributions to the Oblate Father's Infirmary Fund, P.O. Box 419, Tewksbury, MA 01887 will be appreciated.



Bianca didn't want anything to do with that Easter Egg thing. There were too many kids and some guy taking her picture! How many kids were on the Wilmington Common? Off duty Officer Dave Sughrue came up with the formula: Ask Ron Swasey how many eggs he put out and divide by twenty seconds!

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Bits & pieces

Birthdays

Wendy Goodwin of Chestnut Street, Wilmington will turn another page on April 11.

April 19 will mark the special day of Jody Murphy of Crest Avenue, Wilmington.

At least three area residents will be observing birthdays on April 20 - Billy Sinopoli of Emerson Street, Wilmington, Derek Santini of Kenwood Avenue and Karl Sussenberger of Pinnacle Street, Tewksbury.

Jane Castaldo of Trinity Court, Tewksbury will be serenaded by friends and relatives on April 21 as will Katie Ronan of Tanglewood Avenue.

Although she's been claiming the day longer, Anne Buzzell of Salem Street, Wilmington, will have to share her April 22 birthday with Michelle Eddy of Marcia Road, Dennis and David Godin of Linda Road, Debbie Fisher of Morningside Drive, and Danielle Marie Styles of Pine Ave.

Linda Fullerton of Jones Avenue, Wilmington will be a year wiser on April 23.

April 24 will mark the special day of Dr. Ernest Wallent of Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington, and Winnie Smith of Dorothy Avenue.

Anniversaries

Joe and Victor Connors of Nickerson Avenue, Wilmington and Mike and Betty Fournier of Crescent Street will share anniversary greetings on April 19.

Sue and Bob Cullinan of Chapman Avenue, Tewksbury will observe their wedding anniversary April 20 and will share greetings with Jerry and Mary Carrozza of Ring Avenue, Wilmington who will be celebrating for the 28th time on the same day and Jean and Chuck Reinbolt of Sprucewood Road who will mark their 38th on the 20th.

Ed and Marilyn Deschenes of Washington Avenue, Wilmington will mark their 44th wedding anniversary April 21.

To enter

To enter an item in Bits & Pieces, call the Town Crier at 658-2346 days or 658-2907 nights and weekends. Ask for BeeDee.

Pictures anyone?

Between 1941 and 1962, a herd of cows crossed Lowell Street at Perry's (Lucci's) Corner twice a day headed to and from a pasture on the north side of the intersection, to the Downs' farm on the south side.

It was only somewhat remarkable at the time and no pictures have been found among the Downs'. Possibly, just possibly, such pictures were taken by others. If such photos do exist family members would be most grateful for the "loan of them," to be copied and returned.

Tutoring adults

For those interested in volunteering to tutor adults, the

Pollard Memorial Library's "Reach out and Teach" Literacy Program will sponsor a six session training workshop in English as a Second Language.

To be a successful tutor in ESL, there is no need to speak or read a language other than English.

Reach Out and Teach is associated with Literacy Volunteers of Massachusetts. For more information, call the Library at 970-4120.

White House Greetings

Those who know someone turning 80 or older are urged to notify the White House Greetings Office and it will send a birthday card on behalf of the President.

Submit a request in writing four to six weeks before the birthday. Include the name, salutation, age, birthday and complete address of the recipient and the phone number

of the person requesting the card to: White House Greetings Office, OEOB, Room 39, Washington DC 20500; or fax it to 202-395-1232.

Double penny sale

St. Dorothy's Parish will conduct a double penny sale in the lower church hall on Main Street, Wilmington, Friday, April 19.

Doors will open at 6:45 p.m. and sale items will consist of two tables of gifts. Refreshments will be available. Public invited.

Westfield State College

Charlene M. Ciotti, an elementary education major and Leanne R. McConologue, majoring in special education, both of Wilmington have been named to the dean's list at Westfield State College for the fall semester.

Singles dance

A singles dance sponsored by the Reading Chapter of the Single Life will be held Friday, April 26, beginning at 8 p.m. in K of C Hall, Route 38, Tewksbury.

Call 508-664-2675 for more information.

AIM

Wilmington's Aim group will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, April 16 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in K of C Hall, School Street Ext. Public invited.

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and more. They also cut shades. In addition, the shop carries a wide selection of collectibles including: Dreamsicles, Attic Babies, All Around the House and Open Windows houses, Great American Santas, Little Cheesers, Enesco's Cherished Teddies and Calico Kittens, Willets Amish Heritage Collection, Lladro Golden Memories, Wimbledon Porcelain Dolls, and Disney musicboxes. Plus... don't forget the Wyndham Collection of cosmetics, works by artists Carol Endres and Glynda Turley, the carved designs of David Frykman, and much, much more!

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Wilmington library notes

National Library Week, poetry and new books

National Library week

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Plug into literacy

April 21, 5 p.m. Local Cable TV a Telethon to benefit the library; information available at the desk.

Patriot's Day: The library will be closed for the holiday on Monday.

April 13, 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. Wild and Crazy Readers.

New books in the library

Adult nonfiction

First in His Class: a Biography of Bill Clinton by David Maraniss; Cooking Secrets of the CIA by the Culinary Institute of America; Celebrations Italian Style by Mary Ann Esposito; Dead Man Walking by Sister Helen Prejean; Babies with Downs Syndrome: A New Parent's Guide edited by Karen Stray-Gunderson; Sleep Thieves: an Eye-opening Exploration in the Sciences & Mysteries of Sleep by Stanley Coren.

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Requiem for Moses by William Kienzle; Sharpe's Battle by Bernard Cornwell; Star Trek: the Return by William Shatner; The Judge by Steve Martini; Masquerade by Gayle Lynds; Spring Collection by Judith Krantz.

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Family for Sale by Eth Clifford; The Escape from Home: Book One of Beyond the Western Sea by Avi.

Children's Picture Books:

Biggest, Strongest, Fastest by Steven Jenkins; That Kookoory by Margaret Walden Froehlich; Train Song by Diane Siebert; The Paperboy by Dave Pilkey; Sacred River by Ted Lewin.

New Magazine subscriptions

American Health (Fitness of Body & Mind); Workbench (The do-it-yourself Home Improvement and Woodworking Magazine).

First annual National Poetry Month - April 1996

A new grassroots interest in poetry is springing up underfoot as across the country "poetry slams" - poets reading their poems aloud in informal group settings, frequently in libraries, take place regularly. While the Memorial Library has no such group, we do have at the circulation desk the "The Interrupters: New & Review," Volume Six, Winter 1996 which contains three poems by Wilmington resident Francis Toohey, and one by Library Trustee Anne Buzzell. Poetry books from the library's collections are featured during the month both upstairs and down.

Look for Francis Toohey's The Household: Poems 1984-5 and former resident Helena Minton's The Canal Bed: Poems on display. Ms. Minton is now reference librarian at the Peabody Library. A frequent Library patron while she lived in Wilmington, she conducted a popular poetry workshop for children during the library's summer reading program.

Eleven years ago - April 12

Eleven years ago at the Town Meeting held, as this year's on April 27, the town voted to join the

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advancing to fulfill the Board of Library Commissioners Strategic Plan for Library Service in Massachusetts. We have been "on-line" since 1987.

Tax forms

A reminder to those who still need to fill out the annual forms, that the library has copies of those most frequently needed and a book of forms that can be copied by individuals as they require them, using the library's copy machines. We now have copy machines on both floors. Copy costs are 10 cents per page.



Carolyn McDonald was cited for failure to grant the right of way to another vehicle as a result of this accident on Saturday on Federal St. in Wilmington. McDonald's car collided with a pick up truck driven by Steven Murray, also of Wilmington. McDonald was extricated from the car with the Jaws of Life and transported to Winchester Hospital.



Wednesday morning it was evident that we are now well into the second season of this three season year. Cars were forced to negotiate passed a fallen branch on Parker Street. Other streets were blocked all over town and power was out in many neighborhoods. Oh. The three seasons: Last Winter, This Winter and Next Winter.

AARP offers tips for the older driver

A new 22 page publication from AARP, Older Driver Skills Assessment and Resource Guide is must reading for the 52 million families who have an older driver among them.

Older Driver can help elders assess their own driving skills. The guide offers a series of tips on how seniors can improve their driving. Tips include how to keep a three second "safety cushion" between you and the car in front of you; eliminating distractions inside your car, like smoking or drinking coffee; allowing a few minutes for your eyes to adjust to darkness before starting night driving; setting your air conditioner or heater on the lowest setting so you can hear the sounds of the road and traffic warnings.

The guide includes a Driving Continuum that allows readers to assess whether or not they are a high or low risk for accidents. Most

importantly, the guide also provides drivers with resources to improve their skills. AARP sponsors the 55 Alive program. This eight hour classroom course, which costs \$8 reviews specific traffic laws in each state, and helps older drivers develop safe, defensive driving techniques. In 33 states, taking the 55 Alive course can save five to ten percent on your auto insurance premiums, but in Mass, because we already have an automatic insurance discount for drivers 60 and over, there is no financial incentive to enroll in the 55 Alive. But if you are concerned about improving your driving, call 55 Alive Coordinator Charles Harding at 617-828-7892. Anyone in Mass who is concerned that a driver they know is no longer safe on the road can contact the Medical Affairs office of the Registry of Motor Vehicles at 617-351-9222. Medical Affairs will require a signed letter detailing

your concerns. Medical Affairs then investigates the situation and can ask the person to take a driver's test. The registry can ultimately revoke the license.

The decision to drive or not is a very personal one. Most experts recommend that families discuss the matter fully before taking any action. Issues about vision, hearing, reaction time or influence of medications can all be reviewed with your doctor. Older drivers can become a danger to themselves and others. For this reason, approaching the issue honestly and openly is in the best interest of everyone involved. Non of us can drive forever. Our best response is to determine how serious the driving problems are, and to take steps promptly to prevent any harm from occurring.

For a free copy of Older Driver, call Andrea Degado at AARP: (617) 424-0448.

Rose Mitchell joins Reading Light

Rose Mitchell has joined the Reading Municipal Light Department (RMLD) as Executive Assistant to the General Manager and the Board of Commissioners.

Prior to joining the RMLD, Mrs. Mitchell was a self employed executive assistant, as well as an employee of the University of California.

Mrs. Mitchell earned her bachelor of science degree in office administration from the University of New Orleans. She lives in Tewksbury with her husband William, and their son Derek, who is on the dean's list at Franklin Pierce College in Rindge, N.H.



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Obituaries

Harry C. Allen

many years a local plumber

Harry C. Allen, 87, died Thursday, April 4, 1996 at Tewksbury Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Born in Methuen March 29, 1908, he was the son of the late Robert Allen Sr. and the late Caroline (Carlton) Allen and was educated in Methuen schools.

Prior to retirement Mr. Allen worked for many years as a local plumber.

He is survived by his sister and brother-in-law, Barbara

Hetherington and her husband James of South Carolina and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was the brother of the late Robert Allen Jr. formerly of Salem, N.H.

Graveside services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at Elmwood Cemetery, Methuen. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

Arrangements are under the direction of Farmer & Dee Funeral Home, 16 Lee St., Tewksbury.

William F. Brooks

owned harness racing horses

William F. Brooks, 76, a well known resident of Tewksbury died Saturday, April 6, 1996 at a local nursing home following a six month battle with cancer. He was the husband of Frances G. (Skinner) Brooks.

Born in Tewksbury, February 23, 1920, he was the son of the late Etta L. Nelson. He was raised in Tewksbury and lived in Arlington before returning to Tewksbury in 1976.

Mr. Brooks served in the Army during World War II and became a German prisoner of war during the Battle of the Bulge in Luxembourg. Among his awards for meritorious service, he earned the Bronze Star and Combat Infantryman's Badge. He was a life member and former director of Chapter #1 American Ex-Prisoners of War, and the Disabled American Veterans. Until retirement, he was employed by the Geophysics Research Directorate, U.S. Air Force, Hanscomb A.F.B.

For many years he and his wife

owned harness horses which raced on the New England circuit. In addition to his wife he is survived by one daughter, Martha Flood of No. Andover, one son and daughter-in-law, Robert and Barbara (Vinal) Brooks of Tewksbury; one son-in-law, Henry Flood of Chelmsford; seven grandchildren, Andrew, Laura and Vanessa Flood, Kelly Ann, Patrick and Bryan Brooks and Maryellen Hirtle. He was also the father of the late James E. Brooks.

Funeral services were held Tuesday in the Tewksbury Congregational Church. Cremation was at Linwood Cemetery, Haverhill. Committal, in Tewksbury Cemetery.

Memorial contributions to the Greater Lowell V.N.A., Hospice Program, P.O. Box 1965, Lowell MA 01853 will be appreciated. Arrangements were under the direction of the Tewksbury Funeral Home.

Edward G. Daly, Jr.

58 years in Tewksbury

Edward G. Daly, Jr., a resident of Tewksbury for 58 years, died at his late residence on April 3, 1996, his 86th birthday.

Born in Boston, Mr. Daly was the widower of Ethel L. (Palmer) and the father of Douglas P. Daly also of Tewksbury, Edward G. Daly III of Pepperell and a daughter Bonnie L. Nuttall of Ann Arbor, Michigan; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

Mr. Daly was employed as an inspector in the plastic coatings industry for many years.

Funeral services were held at the Nichols Funeral Home, Wilmington, Saturday, April 6, with burial in Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington with the Rev. Herbert Taylor of the Wilmington United Methodist Church officiating.

Dorothy E. Darling

over 65 years in Wilmington

Dorothy E. Darling, a resident of Wilmington for over 65 years, died at Winchester Hospital April 4, 1996 after a brief illness.

Born in Woburn 87 years ago, she was the widow of Frank E. Darling who died in 1979.

Mrs. Darling is survived by her daughter Barbara J. Balestrieri of Wilmington; two sons, Frank E. Darling, Jr. of Chichester, N.H. and Robert L. Darling of Chelmsford. She also leaves 15 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was a member of the

Wilmington Woman's Club, Acacia Chapter of O.E.S., the Wilmington Grange and of the Aides to Victory, an organization formed to benefit the morale of Wilmington's military forces by sending cards, letters and packages to those serving overseas.

Funeral services were held from the Nichols Funeral Home, Wilmington Tuesday, April 9 with the Rev. Martha Stone of the North Woburn Congregational Church officiating. Burial will follow in Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington.

Clinical Issues forum at Lahey

Lahey Hitchcock Medical Center's Nursing Education staff will conduct a Clinical Issues forum Thursday, April 18, 7:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Alumni Auditorium. A variety of clinical issues will be covered; including seizures and strokes, adverse drug reactions, smoking cessation techniques, organ and tissue donations, basic EKG interpretation

and breast cancer risks: genes and other factors.

The cost is \$65 for the full day and offers 7.2 contact hours, approved by the Mass. Nurses' Association. Pre-registration is required, as space is limited. Call 617-273-8725. Lahey Hitchcock Medical Center is located at 41 Mall Road, Burlington.

Bernard T. McNally

New England Heavyweight champion

Bernard T. McNally, of Wilmington, formerly of Cambridge, died April 6, 1966 at his residence. He was 76.

Mr. McNally was born in England, the son of the late James and the late Mary (Donaghy) McNally. He was a World War II disabled Naval veteran; a former New England Heavyweight Champion; a member of Ring 4 Veteran Boxer's Association and a member of DAV. Prior to retirement he was self employed in the liquor industry.

He is survived by his wife Ann M. (O'Keefe); his children James A., Patrick B. and Bernard J. all of Wilmington and his daughter

Maureen A. Bubanas of Florida; his grandsons Ryan McNee of Wilmington, Kevin Bubanas and Nicholas Bubanas of Dracut and his sister Kathleen Lee of Florida. Several nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services were held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, Wilmington Wednesday morning at 9 followed by a funeral mass at St. Dorothy's Church and interment in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

Memorials in his name may be made to the Shriner's Burns Institute in care of Donation Dept., 51 Blossom St., Boston, MA 02114.

Eula M. Nelson

Patten Library volunteer

Eula M. Nelson, 78, a resident of the Carnation Drive Complex died Friday evening, April 5, 1996 at Saints Memorial Hospital in Lowell. She was the widow of Frank R. Nelson.

Born in Blackwell, Oklahoma, September 17, 1917, she lived in Zanesville, Ohio before moving to Tewksbury.

She graduated from the Chicago School of Nursing, and worked as company nurse for the Timkin Roller Bearing Company in Zanesville.

An active member of the Tewksbury Congregational Church, she worked with the Ladies Aid Guild and was an active volunteer at Tewksbury's Patten Public Library and as a Kindergarten Nana at the Trahan and North Street Schools. In earlier years, she was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter 485, Rosa White Shrine,

Zanesville, Ohio.

Mrs. Nelson is survived by one daughter and son-in-law, Yvonne and Jack Hall of Tewksbury, a granddaughter, Mrs. David (Julie) Marotte of Tewksbury and one great-granddaughter, Ashley Marotte. She was the twin sister of the late Bud Willis.

A memorial service will be held Friday, April 12 at 7 p.m. in the Tewksbury Congregational Church, corner of East and Main Streets, Tewksbury Center. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. Cremation at Linwood in Haverhill, interment at a later date in Zanesville, Ohio.

Memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society, 14 Loon Hill Rd., Dracut, MA 01826, will be appreciated. Arrangements were under the direction of Tewksbury Funeral Home.

William J. Rice

served with Merchant Marine

William J. Rice, 72, a former resident of Heath Street, Tewksbury died Saturday morning, April 6, 1996 at his home in Merrimack following a brief illness.

He was the husband of Marie "Terry" (Bavuso) Rice of Merrimack with whom he recently celebrated their 47th wedding anniversary on February 26. Born in Chelsea, April 4, 1924, he was the son of the late James H. Rice and the late Catherine (Henderson) Rice. Educated in the Chelsea school system, he was a graduate of Chelsea High School.

Mr. Rice enlisted in the Merchant Marines, and assisted the U.S. Coast Guard with its daily operations during the invasion of Pearl Harbor. Prior to his 1986 retirement, he was employed in the security and maintenance departments at Mitre Corporation of Bedford. He was a 30 year resident of Tewksbury where he

was a communicant of St. William's Church. He moved to Merrimack in 1994 where he lived at the Norshore Community Park.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by five sons and two daughters-in-law, James W. and his wife Susan of Troy, N.H., Phillip M. Rice of Hudson, N.H., Joseph F. and his wife Diane of Tewksbury, William J. Jr. of Philadelphia and Martin B. Salazar of Groveland, his daughter and son-in-law, Doreen Liles and her husband Larry of Derry, N.H.; his sister Mrs. Loretta Schirl of Chelsea and brother of the late Josephine Ortalani formerly of Revere; five grandchildren, one great-granddaughter and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning from the Farmer & Dee Funeral Home, Tewksbury followed by a funeral mass at St. William's Church and interment in Tewksbury Cemetery.

Frank S. Valletta

U.S. Army veteran

Frank S. Valletta, 58, of Wilmington, died April 8, 1996 at his residence.

Mr. Valletta was born in Boston the son of the late Louis and the late Pietrina (Campo) Valletta. He Served with the U.S. Army from 1959 to 1964 and was currently employed as an accountant. He was a member of the Fr. Edmund W. Croke Council Knights of Columbus #4982 and the Wilmington Sons of Italy.


Mr. Valletta is survived by his wife Marie T. (Sullivan); his children, Stephen and his wife Cheryl Henniker of N.H.; Susan and her husband Joseph Raneri of

Tewksbury; Kristen M. Valletta and Carrie L. Valletta both of Wilmington; his grandchildren Hank, Katie Carolyn and Kelly and his sisters Joanne P. Valletta of Colorado Springs, CO., Debra M. Creclius of San Diego, CA.

His funeral will be held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main St. (Rt.38) Wilmington, on Friday morning at 9 followed by a funeral mass at St. Dorothy's Church at 10 and interment in Wildwood Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Funeral Home Thursday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

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Wilmington date book

Thurs., April 11: 2 to 8 p.m., Chamber of Commerce Expo '96 at Shriners' Auditorium. Call 508-657-7211 for reservations.

Thurs., April 11: 6 p.m., Nutritional Dinner by culinary students at Shawsheen Tech. Call 508-667-2111, ext. 124.

Sat., April 13: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Greenberg's Great Train, Dollhouse and Toy Show at Shriners Auditorium, 99 Fordham Road.

Sat., April 13: 1 p.m., Council on Arts presents Charles Movalli who will lecture on the distinguished artist, John Singer Sargent. No admission fee; public invited.

Sun., April 14: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Great Train, Dollhouse and Toy Show continues at Shriners Auditorium.

Wed., April 17: 7:30 p.m., St. Thomas Women's Club pizza and Yankee swap evening at Villanova Hall. Call 658-4665 Monday through Wednesday.

Thurs., April 18: Last day to call 508-658-9889 for reservations for 10 week Relationships Seminar by Fam. Counseling Serv.

Thurs., April 18: Hat Day at Women's Club meeting.

Thurs., April 18: 2 to 8 p.m., Red Cross Blood Drive at K of C Hall, School Street Ext. Call 694-1443 or 1-800-462-9400 x 2064.

Sat., April 20: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Hobby Show at Arts Center, Middlesex Avenue.

Mon., April 22: 7 to 8:30 p.m., begin 10 week "Relationships: Is there Such a Thing as Loving Too Much?" seminar offered by Wil. Family Counseling Serv. Call 508-658-9889 by April 18 for reservations.

April 22-May 10: leaf and grass pickup at curbside same day as rubbish collection. Call 658-4481.

Thurs., April 25: 7:30 p.m., Carter Lecture Comm. presents, "The Search for Patiti-Last Refuge of the Inca" at Barrows Auditorium, WHS.

Wed., May 1: Last day to enter Tobacco Control Program Bookmark Design Contest.

Area date book

Every Friday: Red Hot Squares lessons, 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Burlington Human Services Center, Center St., Burlington. Call 508-667-1339 for more information.

Through April 30: U. Plan, the Mass. College Saving Program, two month enrollment period. Call 1-800-449-MEFA or visit any Fleet Bank Branch.

Wed., April 10: 6 to 7 p.m., Migraines and Headaches lecture at Boston Reg. Med. Cntr., 5 Woodland Road, Stoneham. Call 617-979-7057.

Wed., April 10: 7 to 9 p.m., Backyard Science workshop at Odyssey Day School, 195 Collincoke St., Stoneham. Call 617-979-7057.

April 12-14: 12th Annual New England Crafts Festival at Valley Expo Center, Methuen Mall. Call 617-261-4424.

Fri., April 12: 7 p.m. to midnight, Las Vegas Nite at Elks Hall, Webb Brook Road, Billerica. Spon. Gr. Billerica Boys & Girls Club. Call 667-2193.

Sat., April 13: 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., Polls open for Annual Town Election.

Sat., April 13: 10 a.m., Tot Shabbat at Temple Shalom Emeth, 14 Lexington St., Burlington. Call 617-272-2351.

Sat., April 13: 1 p.m., Amazing World of Birds, free lecture at Drumlin Farm, Lincoln. Call 617-259-9661.

Sat., April 13: Registration for second Spring Session of classes at Gr. Lowell Family YMCA. Call 508-454-7825.

Sat., April 13: Rabbi Bob Alper, only practicing clergyman doing standup comedy - intentionally will appear at Temple Ner Tamid, 4 Bald Hill Lane, Peabody. Call 508-532-1293.

Sun., April 14: 1 to 5 p.m., Taking Care: A Workshop for Families Caring for Elders, at Boston Regional Med. Cntr., 5 Woodland Rd., Stoneham. Call 617-979-7497.

Mon., April 15: Lowell Middlesex Academy Charter School, deadline for applications for 96-97 academic year. Call 508-656-3285.

Wed., April 17: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Free walk-in liver screening and info at No. Reading Medical Center, 21 Main St. Call 508-664-9532.

Wed., April 17: 1 to 4 p.m., "Living with Grief: After Sudden Loss," interactive teleconference hosted by Center for Health Promo at UMass, Lowell, Upham Hall, Room 201. Call 508-934-4134.

Thurs., April 18: 7 p.m., Merrimack Valley Quilters meeting and lecture at 8 Atkinson Rd., Plaistow, N.H. Call 508-970-1326.

Thurs., April 18: 11:40 a.m., Ramada Inn, Bedford. Nancy J. Stephens lecture at Women's Network Luncheon seminar. Call 617-280-3661.

April 20, 21: MSS will hold 17 walks across Mass to benefit multiple sclerosis research and services. Call 1-800-493-WALK.

Sat., April 20: Special Olympics in Worcester. Call 508-774-1501.

Sun., April 21: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sampas Pavilion, Varnum Ave., Lowell; musical fundraiser spon. by Friends of the Homeless. All proceeds will benefit homeless. Call 603-878-9735.

Tues., April 23: 6 to 9 p.m., first class of VN Hospice volunteer training at 12 Beacon St., Stoneham. Call 617-438-3770.

Wed., April 24: and Wed. through May 15, 6 to 8 p.m., class on massage for stress management spon. by Boston Reg. Med. Cntr., 5 Woodland Rd., Stoneham. Call 617-979-7057.

Wed., April 24: 7:30 p.m., Florence Crittenton League spring meeting at 119 Hall St., Lowell. Call 508-452-9671.

Thurs., April 25: 7:30 to 9 p.m., Home based business seminar at Ramada Inn, Woburn. Call 508-875-6450 for reservations.

Sat., April 27: 8:30 to 3:30 p.m., Interdisciplinary, environmental workshop for teachers and youth group leaders at Merrimack College. Call 687-4639.

Tewksbury date book

Wed., April 10: 7 to 10 p.m., Concerned Parents/Citizens meet at Wynn School Library.

Thurs., April 11: 6 p.m., Nutritional Dinner by culinary students at Shawsheen Tech. Call 508-667-2111, ext. 124.

Thurs., April 11: 7 p.m., Dewing School PAC meets in the school library.

Fri., April 12: 9:30 a.m., Tewks. Seniors off to Yoken's for lunch.

Fri., April 12: 8 p.m. to 12 a.m., Singles Dance at K of C Hall, 2068 Main St. Call 891-3750.

Fri., April 12: TMHS Athletic Hall of Fame banquet and induction ceremony at Germano's. Call 851-6796.

Sat., April 13: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Annual Town Election.

Sat., April 13: 8 p.m., Spring Fling Singles Dance in K of C Hall, Rt. 38. Call 851-0346.

Sun., April 14: 7:30 to 11 a.m., Sunday breakfast benefit at Tewks. Senior Center, 175 Chandler St. Call 508-640-4482.

Tues., April 16-19: Comm. Ed. Div. four day vacation week package for grades K-5; 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the North Street School. Call 508-640-9658.

Wed., April 17: 10 a.m., Depression Workshop meets at 1126 Chandler Street. Call 508-858-0272.

Wed., April 17: 2 p.m., New stroke support group will meet at the Senior Center, 175 Chandler St.

Thurs., April 18: 3 p.m., Council on Aging meets at Senior Center, 175 Chandler St.

Sat., April 20: Spring flea market at Tewks. Senior Center, 175 Chandler Street. Call 640-4482.

Sat., April 20: 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Registration for May SHARE distribution at Senior Center, 175 Chandler St.

Tues., April 23: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., and 7 to 9 p.m., registration for May SHARE distribution at Senior Center, 175 Chandler St.

Tues., April 23: 6 to 7 p.m., Comm Ed Dept. Bodywalk will begin and meet twice a week. Call 508-640-9658.

Wed., April 24: 7 to 9:30 p.m., PIP Book Fair at Tewks. Town Hall. Public invited. Call 851-3985.

Wed., April 24: 7:15 p.m., Emblem Club Cootie Party in Elks Hall, South Street. Public invited. Call 851-2882.

Fri., April 26: 11:15 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Dewing PAC will host a staff appreciation luncheon at the school.

Fri., April 26: 6:30 p.m., Monthly social at Tewks. Senior Center, Chandler Street.

Tues., April 30: Last day to apply to participate in the Memorial Day Parade and celebration. Call 640-1135.


Tues., April 30: 6 to 7 p.m., Sen. John O'Brien office hours in Tewksbury Town Hall, Main Street.

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1. I was the lone vote on the school committee against the present superintendent's contract, which is now over \$81,000. The vote was 6-1. At that time I expressed the opinion that this was an exorbitant salary for a small school district and that we should be offering a raise more in line with other negotiated settlements - namely, around one and a half to two percent.

2. During the past year, I was the lone vote against the present business manager's contract, which is now over \$70,000. At that time I pointed out that the previous business manager's salary was in the \$60,000 range. I could not justify voting for another exorbitant salary.

3. I have negotiated and voted for many contracts for different bargaining groups which were more in line with what Wilmington could afford. During my three year term negotiated contracts have not exceeded two and a half percent. In addition we have renegotiated the mini-van drivers contract to reduce salaries, cut hours, and allow us for the first time to hire part time drivers.

4. I have been an outspoken advocate for the reopening of the Boutwell School to free up classroom space for our elementary children. As you know, this was accomplished with minimal impact to the taxpayers. And I might add, it is working wonderfully as a kindergarten center.

5. I have actively sought public input on different issues through a variety of means: surveys, public forums, and phone calls. And I will continue to push for a quarterly superintendent's newsletter, to be mailed to each taxpayer's home in Wilmington.

6. I have been an outspoken



advocate for an audit of all high school accounts, as a way of being up front, honest, and accountable to the public.

7. My attendance record for meetings, public forums, and performances has been nearly perfect. Presently, I have attended 99 percent of all school committee meetings during my term. And I hold the office of vice chairman.

We still have a great deal of work to do to provide our students with the best education possible. Even though my last child will graduate this year from Wilmington High School, I am still committed to work hard for you and your children.

If reelected on Saturday, April 20, I promise to continue to publicly question all school department expenditures, hold administrators accountable and accessible, encourage more citizen participation in the educational process, find other ways to enhance communication, push for more technology, and maintain my exemplary attendance record. Please consider me for one of your two votes. Thank you for your consideration.

Bob Young

Swat Team tackles Officer Redding

by Jeff Nazzaro

In police work, planning is everything. Every detail, right down to every potential surprise is meticulously accounted for. Perhaps then some of Officer Larry Redding's 20 years experience with the Wilmington Police Department and 10 with the Northeastern Massachusetts Law Enforcement Council rubbed off on his wife Lori, who Saturday pulled off the surprise of surprises for her husband's 50th birthday.

Lori, who spent five years cultivating the perfect birthday surprise caper, sprung the golden anniversary surprise get together on Larry at the Red Tavern in Methuen in front of some 200 willing accomplices.

The ruse? A pre-drug bust rendezvous for Redding and his SWAT team cohorts. And you know those looks on the faces of criminals when the cops burst in during those reality based police shows? Redding's was right up there.

"All this just for turning 50?" Redding inquired rhetorically, still trying to shake out the startle. "It looks like five years worth of work. I think there's everybody I ever knew here my whole life."

Well, not quite, but included among the guests were of course Lori and Redding's two daughters, 14-year-old Jill and 16-year-old Jess, along with Wilmington Police Chief Bobby Stewart, Deputy Chief Bernard Nally and a handful of Redding's less higher ranking

Wilmington Police colleagues.

"He knew I was going to plan something sometime in his life, but he didn't know when," reveled Lori, who said she had thought of doing it ten years earlier, when Larry turned 40.

But the sometime was Saturday and the something included a nice brunch, and a display table featuring letters of congratulations to Redding on his years of service and his birthday from Sen. John Kerry, Gov. William Weld, President Bill Clinton, and the Massachusetts State Senate. Also on display was a list of Redding's impressive service record, dating back to the U.S. Army Special Forces and Vietnam, where Redding was awarded the Bronze Star three times, five commendation medals and a good conduct medal. He has received numerous commendations as a Wilmington Police Officer and in 1985 helped form NEMLEC.

Also included in the birthday bash was a SWAT demonstration in which the birthday boy got to play a drug dealer. His buddies stayed in work character, burst in, tackled the unaware Redding, restrained him and led him out (temporarily) to the delight of those gathered.

"We try to minimize surprises," Redding said of life in his profession. "The tables are turned today."



Larry Redding was caught totally by surprise on his 50th birthday by everyone he ever met, and a few close friends. Here Todd Himmer restrains SWAT Officer Redding who showed up for his own birthday party in "battle gear."

Barbara Breakey candidate for school committee

Barbara Breakey has announced her candidacy for the Wilmington School Committee. Barbara and her late husband, Roger have been committed to quality education for the children of Wilmington for the past 34 years.

By attending and participating at several school committee meetings this past year, Barbara has become well aware of the issues that surround the public schools of Wilmington now and in the coming years.

At the elementary school level, the most serious issue seems to be the "overcrowding" in classrooms. Barbara is willing to listen and

work with parents, teachers and administrators to come up with a plan that best benefits the students.

The high school also needs to adapt to the changing environments in schools. To meet these new needs, Barbara believes that the high school should incorporate new technology and specialized programs into the curriculum. These programs will offer unique opportunities for all students.

Barbara is committed to cooperating with the parents, administration, and teachers to help solve the current and future problems in the Wilmington public school system.

Tobacco Control sponsors contest

The Wilmington Tobacco Control Program, in cooperation with the Wilmington Public Schools, will sponsor a Bookmark Design contest in April to coincide with National Library Month.

The contest will run through the month of April, with all entries due on or before May 1. The contest is open to all Wilmington students in grades three and four. Information about the contest will be presented to the students during their Project

Charlie classes.

There will be three semifinalists selected from each grade and from the special needs category. The grand prize winning design will be printed and given to all Wilmington students in time for their summer reading projects! Additional bookmarks will be available in the public library. Contest information is available at each elementary school and in Room 5 at the Town Hall.

An Open Letter to the Residents of Wilmington from James E. Mahoney, Candidate for Selectman

Dear Voters:

I remember well the day I decided to run for Selectman. It was when I realized that the complaints I heard most from neighbors and friends—town services going downhill, overcrowded schools, traffic-jammed roads and over building—were the direct result of uncontrolled growth. I also knew from my own successful business experience that it could only be rectified by three elements: 1) clear vision, 2) an action plan, and 3) strong management skills.

I am writing to tell you that I am the only candidate for Selectman who possesses all three. My vision for Wilmington is that of a town that retains its character throughout positive commercial expansion, not 5,000 square foot residential lots that turn its look into a city. And my vision for Wilmington is that of a town that adapts to the growth that has already occurred, by improving the infrastructure and addressing the overcrowding in our schools and on our roads.

My action plan, the *Growth Management By-Law*, is a virtual guarantee that residential growth will occur in an orderly fashion, with ample time to implement the impact on Wilmington's public safety and schools. It is **NOT** a "moratorium" on new building, as those with construction ties have labeled it. Building will NOT be stopped. It will be managed, plain and simple. Something every successful town must do, sooner or later. Those that keep building recklessly suffer from an unstable tax rate—and that alone will make Wilmington unattractive to both new and current residents.

I know that controlling growth today will give us a positive tomorrow. Some people try to paint that as a bitter pill to swallow, but the fact is, they're following their own agenda, not the town's. If I am elected as your Selectman, **changing the community for the better will be my top priority**. And I will do so without any personal agendas.

I will bring to the board of Selectmen, along with my considerable management skills, professionalism, efficiency and respect for the position. I will take to heart the responsibility of providing quality education and public safety to every citizen in the town. **You won't see Jim Mahoney passing the buck.**

I will be prudent when spending public money because I believe that when doing so, there is no room for mistakes. You can be assured that every vote I make will be in the best interest of all the townspeople, not just a select few.

In these past few weeks I've met many of you who've shaken my hand and said "Go get em Jim." You're tired of the politics of the past, the Selectmen who don't return phone calls, the special interest groups that run the town. You're ready for an independent thinker, a Selectman who isn't swayed by anyone's voice but whose ear is open to everyone. That Selectman is me.

I would take great pride in serving the people of Wilmington. **I hope that you will grant me that opportunity with your vote on Election Day, Saturday, April 20.**

Respectfully submitted,

James E. Mahoney
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- I propose as part of the by-law that we limit the number of building permits for new homes over a 24 month period.
- There are proposals for 5,000 sq. ft. lots which would change the appearance of our town to that of a city. We are all attracted to Wilmington because of its character, these proposals will certainly alter that character.
- The infrastructure and school overcrowding along with an unstable tax rate are all directly related to uncontrolled growth.

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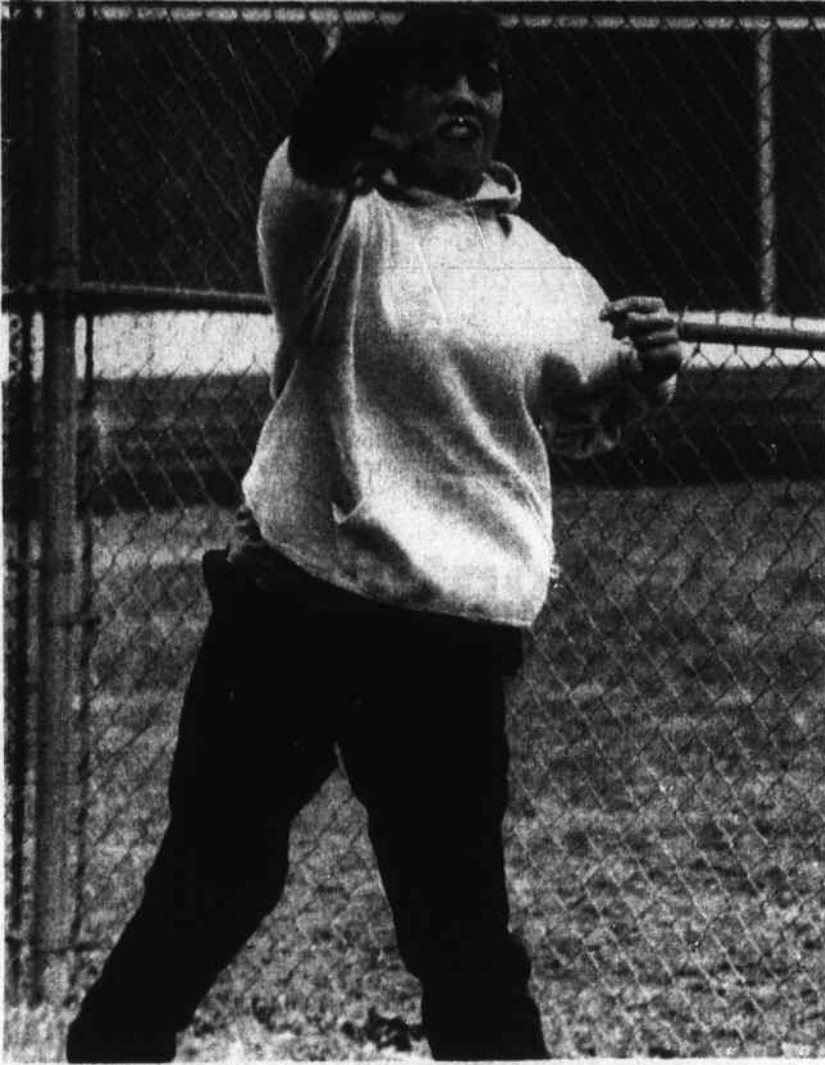


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New and very experienced football coach is named



Julie Yentile practices her discus throwing in a recent Wilmington High School track practice at WHS. (Photo by Jeff Nazzaro).

by James Pote
After spending the past two years as an assistant coach at Beverly High School and the three years before that as head coach at Somerville High School, Bob Almeida of Reading, was named the Wilmington High School varsity football coach on Monday.

Almeida replaces Gerry Sullivan who had to reapply for the position after first telling Athletic Director Jim Gillis that he wasn't coming back as head coach before the 1995 season and then telling him after the season that he wanted to come back for one more year. Sullivan was told by Gillis to reapply for the position after being the coach the past three years and Sullivan was not rehired.

Almeida brings a lot of experience with him. After playing four years under Rick Taylor, who is now the Athletic Director at Northwestern University, at Boston University, Almeida begun his coaching career as an assistant at Brookline High



Bob Almeida

School in 1984. Then he was an assistant at Somerville High School from 1985-1988 and then an assistant at Belmont High School in 1989 before going back to Somerville as head coach in 1990.

"I believe that [being a head coach at Somerville] will really help me here," Almeida said. "I had a good experience in Somerville. Every year we improved our record by a win and I left there having a lot more kids in the program than what it had when I first started out."

"I think this is the best situation for me. I have a lot of experience and I'm very excited about getting this opportunity - it's an honor. I know that this program hasn't beep that successful lately. It's very unusual to see such a great Pop Warner Program and then only to see 30 kids out for the high school team. I'm going to start with the freshmen and the middle schools to get the proper kids out and really emphasize with the freshmen. This community is a lot of Beverly. A lot of people take football very seriously and they are very passionate and I like that," Almeida summed-up.

The past two years, Almeida was the special teams/linebackers/ offensive influence assistant at Beverly, who had 7-3 records the past two years. Almeida said his offensive scheme will be somewhat like the

one Beverly has been using.

"Wilmington is very deep with quarterbacks and running backs and I'm really excited about that. I will be using some option play. A lot of that will be to the outside and avoiding the pitch. I will be using a two-back set with one of the better runners as the wing. My offensive scheme has a little Wing-T flavor in it, but I want to emphasize that it is not a Wing-T offense," Almeida said.

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Someday there will be games again

by James Pote
Finally it's at the point to say "let the games begin." Amen. These last few weeks have really been treacherous. No games to tell you about, no fantastic plays to tell you about, while, snow continues to fall down from everywhere. And the Red Sox look like fish out of water - and that is most embarrassing to me after I picked them to win it all (but I still believe it can happen).

Now is suppose to be the time when sunny skies and warm days are ahead when I get to sit down, relax in the sun and watch some high school ball while getting paid for it. Life is good. Amen. But some white stuff is again trying to ruin myself from enjoying what I do, instead I'm feeling miserable because I can't feel my toes.

Anyway, spring is suppose to be here, so I thought I would share with you what to expect in the next few months in high school sports in Wilmington. Things appear bright for the baseball and softball teams, while, the two tennis teams and the boys and girls track teams continue to progress. Spring is my favorite sports season. How can you not enjoy watching baseball and softball with a t-shirt on under a clear beautiful day? The other two seasons are just as good, but the thought of watching them in the sun opposed to the snow and freezing temperatures is not a hard one to chose between.

I expect the softball team to do extremely well in its first year in the Cape Ann League. Their fundamentals, defense, pitching, speed and coaching should easily put them in first place and state tournament bound. Assuming they get into the tournament this season, their success will depend upon their success going into it. If they have a pretty good win streak going in and are pulling out some come from behind victories or some wins they shouldn't have won, then they should do pretty well in the tourney.

The Cape Ann League has just four or five good teams that will contend such as Newburyport, Amesbury, Masconomet (the same three in every sport) and North Reading should also give a scare. If the Cats can get by them and get into the tournament, Dracut and Stoneham appear to be the front runners in Division II North, while, last year's state champs Case once again should be near the top in the South Sectional. This will be my fourth year covering the softball team. I have seen a lot over the first three years. The happy times surely have dominated the frustrating times and this year could tip the see-saw even further - back to the happy times.

The baseball team could be very, very good. Or they could be okay. All of their success will depend upon two major factors: 1). pitching; 2). fundamentals. The first factor is huge. The team has a lot of good arms. Ryan Rappoli, Scott Swiezynski and Lee Trimarchi are an impressive 1-2-3 punch if they are on their games. Swiezynski is just a sophomore and threw extremely well during last year's scrimmage, mixing up his heat as well as his bender very well. As long as the three pitchers let their fielder's do their work, then the team should also do very well.

The second factor is their fundamentals. The past two years, that factor has been brutal. Last year whenever they had a lead late in the game, one error or one bad judgement error turned the entire game around and that is what kept them out of a state tournament appearance after starting out 7-5. This year could be different because they are a lot of younger players with a lot of talent who will be pushing to get some starting jobs. If one or two of those newcomers develop quicker than thought, and the pitching does the job, than the team could also be looking to make noise in the tournament.

Overall I expect the softball team to do very well and the baseball team to do very well if they both are fundamentally sound and their pitching is strong. As for the other teams, the boys tennis team will be looking to go .500 again, while the girls team lost many seniors from last year. The boys and girls track teams are hard to predict, because you never know who or when someone will step up and provide some much needed points that make the difference in wins and losses.

The fall season was okay as most of the teams were rebuilding. The winter season was great with the hockey and boys basketball team doing very well and the girls basketball team did make the tournament. And now it time to roll up your sleeves and enjoy the spring season. Hopefully there will be plenty of sunny skies ahead as well as plenty of victories ahead of us also.

Softball Tourney

There will be an open co-ed Early Bird Softball Tournament, to be played at Aprile Field at the Town Park in Wilmington starting the week of April 15.

This tournament is open to anyone. It will be a double elimination tournament. The cost per team is \$100.00. It will also be a two balls and two strikes count.

The deadline for sign-up will be April 12. Call Jack Cushing to sign-up at 657-7002.

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Two local Pop Warner players to be going to Florida

Jason Wagstaff of Tewksbury, and Matt Trimarchi of Wilmington were both named to the 1995 Pop Warner First Team of All American Scholars. Both players will be acknowledged at the 36th Annual Pop Warner Awards Dinner at the Contemporary Resort in Walt Disney World, Orlando, Florida on Saturday May 25, 1996.

Jason, a member of the Middlesex League Champion C team, and Matt

a member of the Middlesex League Champion D team, were two of the top 35 Pop Warner players from throughout the country in his grade level to be selected to this honor, which recognizes academic excellence.

Out of over 30,000 individual submissions to the Pop Warner Scholastic Program, just 200 were named as First Team members. The designation of First Team All-American Scholar is the highest

award bestowed upon players by Pop Warner Little Scholars, Inc.

The Wilmington Pop Warner Board of Directors and coaches wish to extend congratulations to both Jason and Matt for their academic excellence. They are all very proud of them for achieving high honors. Both Matt and Jason have set the standard of high academic and athletic achievement for the Wilmington Pop Warner Football Association.



Sophomore Melissa Mather hopes to repeat her outstanding freshman season last year for the WHS softball team when she clubbed over .300 and was named an all-star. Here she is about to do what she does best: kill the ball in a recent scrimmage for the team who will kick off its season (weather permitting) this Thursday at Chelmsford. (Photo by Jeff Nazzaro).



Jason Wagstaff of Tewksbury (left) and Matt Trimarchi of Wilmington (right) pose with Ken Redmond (one of the Wilmington Pop Warner guys who is NOT the President) as the two football players were recognized for their excellence in the sport which includes being recognized in Florida.

Several locals continuing athletic careers in college

by James Pote
Several athletes from Wilmington have continued on their successful athletic careers in college.

Ken Bonnano, who graduated from Matignon High School last summer, now attends W.P.I. and is a member of the baseball team. Joe Martinello, a graduate of WHS in 1995, was a part of the 4x100 relay team of Bentley College who took second place in this past weekend's Tufts Invitational Meet.

Paige Heller, is a first year student at Bates College in Lewiston, Maine and she competed on the Bates ski team for the 1995-96 season.

The 1995 graduate of Phillips Academy, Heller finished 22nd in the Giant Slalom at the Dartmouth Carnival on Feb. 10 in a time of 2:07.88 and 33rd in the slalom at the St. Lawrence Carnival Jan. 26-28 in 1:35.73.

Finally is the great story of Matt McManus a graduate of WHS in 1992. After getting struck in the face with a ball which caused a very serious eye injury last year, McManus has come back pitching as a junior for Northeastern University.

McManus just recently was named North Atlantic Conference Pitcher of the Week ending April 7, which included tossing a complete game, two-hit shutout, while striking out five batters against the University of Maine to end a losing skid for the Huskies.

McManus is now 1-2 with his two losses against Florida Atlantic and St. Thomas University, but he pitched very well in all three of his starts to earn him a regular spot in the starting rotation.

Team unity is Wilmington softball team's best feature

The Wilmington High School girls varsity softball team started with a team breakfast last Saturday at Winston's at 6:45 a.m. and ended with team pizza at Mancini's on Friday at 6 p.m. In between was one of the most positive pre-seasons the Lady Wildcats team has engaged in, in quite sometime.

"A lot of experience was gained. Some important questions were answered and more importantly,

tremendous team unity was accomplished - throw in their five wins, two losses and one tie and we had ourselves a very productive pre-season" said coach Paul Lyman.

"We had really good wins over Shawsheen Tech, Oakmont Regional, Lawrence, Salem and Winnacunnet of N.H. Our losses were to Bishop Fenwick, 4-0 and Billerica, 3-2 in a 10 inning pre-season game and we tied North Middlesex

Regional 3-3, so I think we have faced a tough and competitive schedule and it has allowed us to settle on our starting lineup and batting order for the upcoming openers" said Lyman.

If the team opens against Chelmsford on Thursday April 11, Amy Surran will get the nod. If the game is postponed because of the weather, then the team will have to wait 'til Friday against Manchester with Kelly Landers getting the start and Amy will come back on Monday of next week.

The team has settled into a somewhat two pitcher rotation with Surran and Landers with Catherine Townsend getting the not as relief ace.

"However, I'm not going to be rock solid in saying they will rotate," said Lyman. "If one is going good and one is struggling, then we will make whatever decision is best for the team, but the girls understand that."

So the opening day lineup looks like this.

1B Melissa Mather	Soph
3B Nicole Dussault	Sr., Tri-capt
SS Leanne Harris	Sr., Tri-capt
C Lisa Southmayd	Jr
2B C. Townsend	Soph
DH Amy Surran	Jr.
LF Jill Lojek	Jr
CF Julie Gillis	Jr
RF Melissa Palermo	Jr
P Kelly Landers	Sr. Tri-capt

Coming off the bench to give some speed, hitting and defensive help will be junior Deanna Ward, soph Karen MacArthur and soph Jodi MacKenzie.

"So I think we're ready to go and are looking forward to starting."

The Lady Wildcats will play their day games at W.H.S. and night games at the Aprile Field at the Town Park across from Continental Cablevision on RT 38.

Wilmington Coming Events

(subject to change with postponements)

Thursday, April 11
Boys Tennis at Manchester 3:30
Girls Tennis vs Manchester 3:30
B/G Track vs Triton 3:30
JV/V Softball at Chelmsford 3:30

Friday, April 12
JV/V Softball at Lawrence 3:30
Fr. Baseball at Chelmsford 3:30
Saturday, April 13
B/G Track at Wayland Inv. TBA
Monday, April 15
Fr. Softball at Lawrence 3:30

Tewksbury Coming Events

(subject to change with postponements)

Thursday, April 11
Fr. Baseball vs Gr. Lowell 3:30
Friday, April 12
Boys Tennis at Tyngsboro 3:30
Girls Tennis at Masconomet 3:30
JV/V Baseball vs Westford 3:30
JV/V Softball vs Methuen 3:30

Saturday, April 13
B/G Track at Methuen 10:00
Tuesday, April 16
JV/V Softball vs Haverhill 2:00
Wednesday, April 17
B Track at Central Catholic 10:00
Thursday, April 18
JV/V Softball at Lowell 2:00

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Softball clinic on Sunday

The Wilmington High School Softball Team will be running a clinic for the Little League Softball Association Sunday evening, April 14 beginning at 5 p.m. at the Wilmington High School softball field. All players and coaches are invited to attend.

Coaches from the High School Program along with their players will be demonstrating fundamentals in hitting, fielding and throwing to help kick off the Little League season.

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Mite C's extend winning streak to 16

This weekend the Wilmington Mite C Youth Hockey Team finished its regular season with two more wins, extended the unbeaten streak to 16 and clinching first place in their division.

The first win was a classic with Wilmington pulling off a 3-2 victory over Cambridge with only 26 seconds left in the game. The second win was a 5-0 shutout of Haverhill, but this game was closer than the score would indicate.

Going into this one, Haverhill was ahead of Wilmington by a point so the Wildcats needed to a win to claim first place for their own; a tie wouldn't have done it. With a super team effort, the boys came out and proved that they deserve to be "number one."

Wilmington vs Cambridge

Both Wilmington and Cambridge spent the first period playing a tight, defensive style and the period ended with no score.

The second period was more of the same until Cambridge lit the lamp with four minutes to play. But Wilmington stormed back only a minute and a half later.

Chris Stafford made a great pass at center ice to send Eric Ollila in alone on the Cambridge net. Ollila then made a sweet deke to slide the puck in behind the sprawling goalie.

A couple of minutes later Eddie Tucker put Wilmington out in front 2-1 on a similar deke move on a breakaway set up by a pass from Mike Way. Wildcat net minder Billy Schultes played tough between the pipes and the second stanza ended with the score still 2-1.

The third started with some super defensive play by Wilmington's Jason Buckley, Chris Waisnor, Albert Fiorenza and Jason Randall. Cambridge was also playing tough "D," although on several occasions they got a little carried away, spilling Tucker several times. At the 4:50 mark Cambridge was called for tripping Tucker who was about to blitz in on a breakaway.

Wilmington forwards Rusty Grant, Keith Irwin and Justin LeFave all had several good scoring bids during the power play, but Cambridge held them off. With five minutes to play Steve Emery streaked in alone and lifted one of his patented blazing wrist shots over the glove of the Cambridge goalie but it clanked hard off of the post.

This bit of luck must have sparked Cambridge because they shifted into a higher gear and scored to tie the game at two apiece. It then looked as though they were headed for overtime, but with only 26 seconds left Justin Roberts slid a pass up the boards to Ollila who flew in wide to the right and fired off a laser guided blast to the far corner putting the Cats up 3-2. Cambridge then pulled their goalie for an extra skater, but Wilmington never let the puck cross center ice in the remaining seconds and the boys had themselves a well deserved victory.

Wilmington vs Haverhill

The next morning Wilmington journeyed to the Merrimack Valley Forum to take on division leading rival Haverhill. It was a tough battle but the Wildcats once again rose to the occasion. Wildcat goalie Billy Schultes set the tone by making at least five big saves in the first period alone. Billy was a huge

factor in this 5-0 shutout of the "Hillies."

The first period was scoreless until Eric Ollila scored with just 35 seconds to play. Eric had just broken in after a super pass from Chris Stafford. From about 20 feet out Ollila lifted a high backhand which was kicked out by the Haverhill goalie, but Ollila gathered up the rebound, spun around the net and slid in a neat "wrap-around" goal.

The Wildcat defensive squad of Albert Fiorenza, Jason Randall, Chris Waisnor and Jason Buckley all played a great game forming a tight wall in front of their goalie. Halfway through the second period center man Steve Emery broke in alone after a nice feed from Rusty Grant. Emery sped in on the net and fired a super wrist shot just over the outstretched glove of the Haverhill goalie and into the twine.

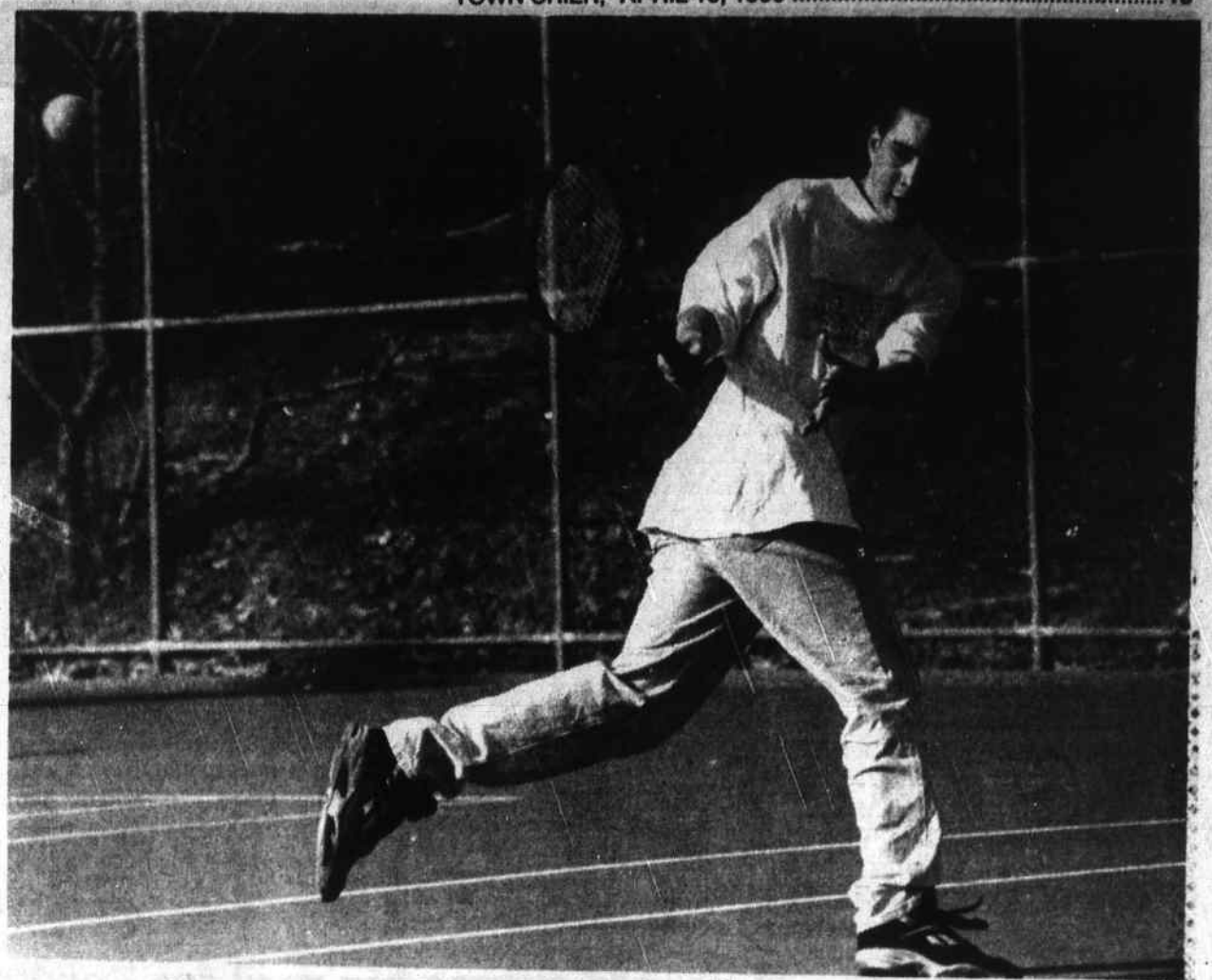
Only a minute into the third Eric

Ollila was sprung on a break by an excellent pass from Chris Waisnor. Ollila cruised in and snapped off a high wrister which hit the goalie's glove but kept on going right into the net, Wilmington leads 3-0.

A minute or so later Wilmington's Emery blasted a shot at the net which was kicked out, but his winger Keith Irwin was right there to slap in the rebound. The Wildcats kept up the pressure with some nice forechecking by Justin Roberts, Mike Fay and Rusty Grant. The last goal of the game came with Edzo

Tucker scored a beauty with the "helper" going to Justin LeFave.

At the buzzer the team stormed goalie Billy Schultes who played a great game, notching the shutout. This win was indeed a big one for Wilmington, closing out the season with a win to seal their lock on first place and set them up for success in next weekend's playoffs. Go Wildcats!!!



Sophomore Mike Garbati shows his impressive back hand for the boys tennis team in a recent practice. (Photo by Jeff Nazzaro).

(For Wilmington only)

Almeida named new football coach from page 17

Almeida was asked what he brings to a program who hasn't had a winning season since 1984 (5-4-1) and one who is 15-45-1 in the 90's and 31-87-3 since 1984 which includes its 4-7 season of a year ago. "I bring a lot of experience with a lot of different styles with me. I'm

very organized and very consistent. I want to do certain things to develop the program and that includes being consistent with the plays so they kids can relate to them. I'm really looking forward to meeting the kids. I can't wait for that,"

Almeida said.

Almeida said by watching several of the games from last year, he saw a team who was very aggressive both offensively and most especially defensively. He said that really impressed him.

"Defensively I will use the 5-2 but I will also use a variety of different coverages as well. As long as you don't get too complicated and you keep things simple, but effective, then the kids will know what their responsibilities are," Almeida said.

Of his goals for the program, Almeida said during his interview sessions, that he first wants to get the most out of his players and

assistant coaches. Then he wants to create an atmosphere of mutual respect. His final two goals were too increase the number of players in the program and to win a league title. He also said he would like to get a solid weight training program for the players as well as to make several visitations to the middle schools.

"I think if the kids see how much committed the staff is and how hard we are working then we will get the most out of them," Almeida said. "I think there is a lot of really good athletes on the team. I like the fact that a lot of them play a lot of different sports."

"I want to be in the position of having a shot to be at the top every year. I don't know a whole lot about the Cape Ann League except that there is six or seven good teams. We are at the cream of the crop right now and we would love to win the league title right away," Almeida said.

As of Tuesday evening, Almeida couldn't reveal the names of the assistant coaches he hopes to have as of yet, until they are approved by Gillis. He said he will have some very good assistants who all have a lot of experience including several of them being former head coaches themselves.

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Big fish in small places?

by Bill Conlon
Adventure beckons, but where do I find the time to answer the call?

For reasons known only to the Great License Issuer upstairs, I end up fishing the same few ponds, over and over, year after year.

I can name on one hand the waters that I fish regularly, and list on the other hand those places that I visit once or twice a year, maybe.

But there are books full of places where I've never dipped a line and I've got an even longer mental list of places that don't appear in any fishing guide, but they beckon.

One of these mystery places is a swamp in Dracut. Right alongside Route 38, there's a patch of water in this swamp that has tantalized me for years -- decades, in fact.

This swamp is fairly large, with more weeds than water. Smack in the middle of the swamp is a dead tree topped with a nest of sticks that the herons occupy every Spring.

Between the nesting tree and the road, however, is a patch of water. Not a big patch, maybe 200 by 300 feet, tops. Most of the Summer, the water is covered with green specks of duckweed, and around the edges is an ocean of purple loosestrife and cattails. But there are no weeds in the middle of the water. And that's what grips my attention.

My guess is that the water must be deeper than six feet, or there would be weeds growing up. The edges of the puddle have a few pond lilies, but nothing in the center. Hmmmm.

If that water is indeed deeper than six feet, the fish could winter over safely. And grow. If it's shallower than six feet, winter kill becomes a threat, but by then the weeds would have choked off any open water.

I've dropped a line into some tiny puddles in my day, with surprising results. One puddle that I visited (it's so small I can throw a rock across) produced a tiny but furious pickerel. This little guy must have been Hell On Earth to any tadpoles and insect larvae in his domain, but at six inches long he wouldn't last a week in a lake with real carnivores. Still, a tiny pickerel in that puddle? How interesting!

Now, back to the bigger swamp. If a frog pond can produce a tiny pickerel, then what lurks in that swamp's deepest spot? Nobody has ever tried fishing there -- at least not that I've ever seen -- and it's far enough from the road to make for a soggy hike. Any fish living in that hole (if there are any) wouldn't know what a hook looks like. And with the abundance of critters in any swamp, finding something to eat won't be a problem.

Every winter, I get an urge to walk out there, drill a hole through

the ice, and find out once and for all how deep that puddle really is. And every Spring I wonder why I never got out there to check.

I can't count the bodies of water I've seen while driving by, and I always ask: Are there monsters in that little trickle? Primordial bass and behemoth pickerel that nobody would expect in such a puddle?

But then I find myself sitting in my boat, on a pond that I fished last week, and the week before, and the week before that. Have I lost my sense of adventure?

I must be getting old.

--- Tackle Box ---

The turkey relocation project is

over in Massachusetts. The project concluded last month, and it's been a whopping success! Previous tries to re-establish the wild turkey with hatchery birds failed miserably, but in 1972 the wildlife biologists tried a different approach. Instead of hatchery birds, they live-trapped turkeys in New York State and let them go in Berkshire County. And the rest is history. In 1971 we had zero turkeys in the Bay State. Now, we have a population over 10,000 birds and rising. Victory has been declared, and the project deserves the thanks of hunters and birders across Massachusetts. Well done!

Along with 685,000 trout (give or take a few) the Division is also stocking broodstock salmon into

some waters. These big fish (up to 20 pounds!) are "retired" from the salmon breeding program, and it remains to be seen whether they'll breed in the wild. Still, hooking a 20-pounder on trout tackle? Wow! Call 1-800-ASK-FISH for updates.

Oh, no, not again! Our pals (not at People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals -- PETA -- have now declared war on fishing. Yup! They claim fishing is cruel to worms and fish, and that the sport should be outlawed. Bull. Go fishing, and feel good about the sport. (I like Rush Limbaugh's meaning for PETA -- People Eating Tasty Animals.)

Leonard scores big goal for Tewksbury Squirt B's

The Tewksbury Squirt B youth hockey team had a great week. Tewksbury faced Woburn in the first game this past week with a strong performance by all.

The first period started off with Woburn netting the first goal of the game. Just 10 seconds later the Redmen tied the score at one with a goal by Captain Chris Leonard assisted by Scott Sacco.

With great goal tending by Steve Aldred, Tewksbury was able to take a 2-1 lead with a feed from Joe Torname that sent Steve Maida in for the score. Woburn would come back with seconds left in the period to tie the game.

In the second period Tewksbury would blow this one open with three goals and good defense. The first goal of the period was scored by Brian Nikonchuk assisted by defenseman Billy Mulvanity. While holding Woburn to just a few shots, Jeff Bourgeois snapped home as wrist shot with an assist going to Joe Torname his second of the game. To close out the shooting in the period Scott Sacco slammed in a rebound in front of the net, off a Joe Broderick shot.

The third period ended up being a defense battle between the two teams with each team scoring only one goal. Tewksbury's only goal was scored, unassisted by Billy Ward to end this one 6-3.

Tewksbury Squirt B's continued their winning ways with victories over North East and Acton/Boxborough. In the North East contest Steve Maida started off the scoring at the 10 minute mark of the opening period, tipping in a

rebound in front of the net after a shot by Jeff Bourgeois.

Tewksbury increased its lead at the end of the period when Chris Leonard scored on a two on one break set up by Joe Broderick. North East got one back and the period ended 2-1.

But, North East responded quickly and tied the game at 2-2 by the time the teams played three minutes of the second stanza, but Joe Torname scored on a breakaway after taking a pass from Billy Ward and the Redmen were back in front 3-2.

With Brian Nikonchuk set up in front of the net, and tipped in a pass from Jeff Fiermonte and Joe Clark to end the game 5-2.

In other action, Tewksbury beat Acton/Boxborough 8-0.

The Redmen got on the score board at the five minute mark of the opening period when Jeff Bourgeois scored after taking a pass from Steve Maida. Scott Sacco scored at the nine minute mark, with an assist going to defenseman Billy Mulvanity.

Tewksbury exploded for five goals in the second period to put the game beyond recall.

Steve Maida tipped a shot into the

net at the two minute mark, with assists going to Joe Torname and Jeff Bourgeois.

Less than 30 seconds late Scott Sacco scored on a pass from Chris Leonard. Steve Maida scored for the second time in the game on passes from Joe Torname and Joe Clark.

Don McLaren added another marker two minutes later after taking a pass from Jeff Fiermonte. Steve Maida completed his hat trick with an assist going to Scott O'Neil to end the period.

Tewksbury ended this one with a goal by Brian Nikonchuk assisted by Don McLaren. Steve Aldred had another outstanding game in net to record his second shutout of the year.

The final game of the week found Tewksbury on the losing end of a hard fought game against Wilmington that ended 4-3.

Joe Torname netted the first goal for Tewksbury with an assist going to Scott O'Neil. Brian Nikonchuk scored a second period marker with the assist going to Joe Clark. In the third period Joe Clark took a pass from Don McLaren to score Tewksbury's final goal.

Pee Wee III team loses tough one

Saturday's Valley Youth Hockey League game at Merrimack Valley Forum was a fast moving hard checking game that found the Tewksbury Pee Wee III team behind 2-0 early and never recovering as New Hampshire East went on to win, 5-2.

In the first period, although Tewksbury won the opening faceoff and the puck was mostly in N.H. East's end, N.H. East struck first at 11:22. Tewksbury picked up the pace and the checking was ferocious, N.H. East scored again at 6:52 and when the period ended N.H. East lead 2-0.

The second period opened with good end to end play by both teams and the checking was strong, but N.H. East scored at 8:06. Tewksbury again picked up the pace and had many good chances and scored at 3:35 by David McCoy with a helper going to Marco Bristol, and

the period ended with N.H. East up 3-1.

In the third period, the hitting really picked up and the penalties followed. The game went from good end to end skating to more of a checking game, and N.H. East scored at 5:15. With the game winding down Tewksbury pulled its goalie at 1:33 which seemed to work as they scored a short time later, with David McCoy going end to end on an unassisted goal.

With just seconds left, N.H. East ended Tewksbury's hopes of a comeback with an open net goal at 0:17, which ended the game, N.H. East winning, 5-2.

Tewksbury had fine goal tending from both Richie Chambers and Jonathan Leone with excellent checking by J.R. Wareham, David Buntin and Adam Hill. The defensive support was superior from Chris Beek and Adam Rooney.

Halley tosses shut out

By putting together a hard skating two way hockey game, the Tewksbury Mite A youth hockey team beat Burlington by a 5-0 score. Goal-tender Frankie Halley tossed the shutout as his team dominated most of the game.

Redmen scorers were Evan Patten, Jared Leone, Billy Deferrari, Pat Cullity and Brian Macy. Bobby Fitzpatrick and T.J. Boyle earned two assists apiece. Single helpers were notched by Macy Cullity, Deferrari and Sarah Russell.



These three Wilmington High School freshmen hoopsters (l to r) Jackie Eldridge, Emily King and Renee Shano participated in the Tewksbury 3-on-3 tourney.

Three Wildcat hoopsters take part in tourney

On March 22, three Wilmington High School freshmen girls basketball players, Jackie Eldridge, Renee Shano and Emily King decided to try their luck in a three on three tournament in Tewksbury.

The first game was against Lowell-A, they defeated them 7-2. The second game was against

Lowell B, defeated them 6-3. The third game was against AAU Wildcat Team, defeated them 7-4.

Then won a bye to the finals. In the finals they played same AAU Wildcats, defeated them again 7-5 to win tournament. Watch for these three girls in the future at WHS.



Tewksbury junior Sue Perkins makes sure the ball goes into her glove during practice for the Tewksbury High School softball team. (Photo by Jeff Nazzaro).

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A Prayer to the Blessed Virgin (Never found to fail)

O Most beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, Fruitful Vine, Splendour of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my Mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart, to succour me in this necessity; there are none that can withstand your power. O, show me herein you are my Mother. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to Thee. (3 times) Sweet Mother, I place this cause in your hands. (3 times) Say for 3 consecutive days and publish. God Bless

M.

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Church news

Congregational Church in Tewksbury

Corner of East and Main Streets; the Rev. Paul Millin, pastor.

Sun., April 14: Rainbow Girl Sunday, Church worship service led by the Rev. Paul Millin, church school for four years and up, nursery care provided; 11 a.m., coffee hour; 11:15 a.m., Junior Choir rehearsal, Cherub Choir rehearsal; 11:30 a.m., Junior handbell rehearsal; 5:30 p.m., Junior High Youth Fellowship; 7:30 p.m., Senior High Youth Fellowship, Interfaith Choir rehearsal.

Mon., April 15: 7:30 p.m., Carillon Ringers rehearsal; Pastor/Parish Relations meeting.

Tues., April 16: 7:30 p.m., Church council meeting.

Wed., April 17: 9 a.m., Friendship Circle.

Thurs., April 18: 7:30 p.m., Senior Choir.

Sat., April 20: 6 p.m., Ham and bean supper hosted by the Music Committee.

St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church

Corner of Forest Street and Aldrich Road, Wilmington, 658-2487. The Rev. Deborah Paulsen, vicar. The chapel is accessible to handicapped individuals. Service of the Holy Communion, Sunday School and Crib 'n Crawl Child Care are at 10 a.m. each Sunday with coffee hour immediately following the service.

Sun., April 14: 10 a.m., Holy Communion, Church School, Crib 'n Crawl Child Care, 11 a.m., coffee hour.

Wed., April 17: 9:30 a.m., Bible study; 4 p.m., Bible study.

First Baptist Church of Tewksbury

The Rev. Richard Haley, 1500 Andover St., (Route 133), No. Andover, 851-6575. Church office hours, 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Sunday: 10 a.m., Worship service with nursery care available; fellowship hour follows immediately.

Tues: 7 to 9 p.m., Parent Support Adult Group.

Wed: noon, lunch; 7:30 choir.

Thurs., 7 p.m., pack meeting.

Fri: No Scouts

Tewksbury United Methodist Church

Tewksbury United Methodist Church at 2335 Main St., Tewksbury, MA.; the Rev. Susan G. Curtis, pastor; Bill Williams, organist; Claire Johnson, secretary. The following is the service schedule:

Sun., April 14: 10 a.m., worship service, Sunday School; 11:15 a.m., coffee hour; 11:15 a.m., Jr. Choir rehearsal, 6 to 8 p.m., Youth group.

Office hours are Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon.

First Baptist Church of Wilmington

The Rev. Ronald D. Grimley, pastor; 173 Church St., Wilmington; 658-8584.

Thurs., April 11: 7 p.m., Choir rehearsal, Stockade (boys grades 3-6), Battalion (young men grades 7-12).

Fri., April 12: 10:30 a.m., Women's Bible study (WOE); 6:30 p.m., Pioneers (girls grades 1-6).

Sat., April 13: 9:30 p.m., Women's Fellowship (2nd Sat); 1 p.m., Al-Anon.

Sun., April 14: 9:30 a.m., Sunday School classes for all ages, adult electives, nursery care provided; 10:45 a.m., Worship service, Junior Church for ages 4-7, nursery care provided; 6 p.m., Junior and Senior High Youth Group (weekly).

Wilmington United Methodist Church

The Rev. Herb Taylor, pastor, 658-8217; Rob Kirby, assistant pastor, 657-5224. Wilmington's United Methodist Church is accessible to handicapped individuals.

Sun., April 14: 8:15 a.m., Informal Communion service; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School, Adult Sunday School and Confirmation Class; 10:30 a.m., Family Worship Communion Service, Rob Kirby, asst. pastor preaching; 8 p.m., Al-Anon.

Mon., April 15: 3:45 p.m., Cub Scouts; 6:30 p.m., Cub Scouts; 7 p.m., UMW Executive Board Meeting, Beginners Bible study.

Tues., April 16: 3:15 p.m., Brownies; 7:15 p.m., Choir rehearsal; 7:30 p.m., Leadership meeting; 8 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous; 8:30 Bell Choir.

Wed., April 17: 10 a.m., Bible Study; Noon, Alcoholics Anonymous; 7 p.m., Kitchen Committee meeting; 7:30 p.m., Ruth Circle.

Thurs., April 18: 11 a.m., Wilmington women's club; 7 p.m., Prayer group at Rob Kirby's; 7:30 p.m., Plus size fitness group, Miriam group.

Fri., April 19: 6:30 p.m., Parenting group; 7:30 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous.

Sat., April 20: 8 a.m., Church yard cleanup.

Congregational Church in Wilmington

The Rev. Thomas F. Dean, pastor; 220 Middlesex Avenue.

Thurs., April 11: 6:15 p.m., Handbell Choir rehearsal; 8 p.m., Narcotics Anonymous.

Sun., April 14: 9:30 a.m., Sunday School for all ages; 9:45 a.m., Choir rehearsal; 10:30 a.m., Worship service with Holy Communion and child care provided followed by coffee hour; 6:30 p.m., Youth group.

Mon., April 15: 7 p.m., New England Brass Band rehearsal; 7:30 p.m., Women's Prayer & Praise.

Tues., April 16: 6:30 a.m., Morning prayer; 10 a.m., Bible study; 7 p.m., Boy Scouts; 7:30 p.m., Diaconate meeting.

St. Dorothy's Church

Wilmington, South Tewksbury. The Rev. Rickard O'Donovan, pastor; the Rev. Michael J. Harkins, parochial vicar; the Rev. John Harrington, visitor, 658-3550.

Masses: Sunday, 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. (Saturday Vigil at 4 p.m.); daily at 8:30 a.m.

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Mass schedule: Saturday, 4 p.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday, 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m. noon, and 5 p.m.

Confessions: Saturdays and eve of holy days, 3 to 3:45 p.m.; anytime at the rectory; First Friday before each mass.

St. Thomas Church

126 Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington. The Rev. Robert Browne, pastor; the Rev. Edward F. Sherry, parochial vicar; Paul W. Merullo, pastoral assistant.

Masses: Sunday masses are celebrated at 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 a.m. and noon; weekday masses are said at 9 a.m. and Saturdays at 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Confessions: are heard at 4 p.m. Saturday.

Youth choir: For people seven and older who would like to sing at the 9:30 mass on Sunday. Rehearse Friday from 4 to 5 p.m.

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Wed., April 17: "Reluctant Evangelists."

Wed., April 24: "Seeking the Lost."

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WITNESS, Sheila E. McGovern, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge, the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-six.

Donna M. Lambert
Register of Probate

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PUBLIC MEETING

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Upcoming Wilmington Recreational Activities

Winter program sign up
Registration for Recreation Department winter programs has begun at the Rec office in town hall from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays. Mail in registration impossible for some programs. Call the Rec office at 658-4270 for more information.

The following programs are open for sign up:

Costco Warehouse, Free one day shopping pass.

BJ's Wholesale Club, Free one day shopping passes.

Town t shirts, sweatshirts, night shirts, tote bags on sale.

Movie discounts, Showcase \$4.50, General Cinema \$4.50 (ages 13 and over), \$2.75 (ages 12 and under).

Free vcr tape loan, sports, fitness, recreation, Disney, etc.

Free discount coupons, for Disney World, Universal, Sea World, Busch Gardens.

Ledyard Ct. trips, \$19, Tuesday, trips for '96: March 26, April 30, May 28 and June 25, 7 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Aerobics, Mon., and Wed., March-May 27, 7 to 8 p.m.; \$45.

Co-ed volleyball, Thurs., Nov. -Apr. 25, 7 to 9 p.m. \$5 per visit.

Ballroom I, II and Country Western I, Grade nine through adult, \$35 adults; \$15 students; eight weeks, Fridays, April 19-June 7.

CPR, American Heart Assoc; grades nine through adult, June 4 and 6, 6 to 9:30 p.m.; \$25 (recertification, \$10).

Red Sox tickets, \$10 including bus transportation, April 28 vs Kansas City at 1:05 p.m.; July 18 vs Baltimore at 7:05 p.m. and Sept. 14 vs Chicago, 1:05 p.m.

Canoe Clinic & rental, ages 12 and up, free, Wed., June 5, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Silver Lake.

Gymnastics, Ages four through grade three, \$25, six weeks, Sat., April 6-May 18 at the high school.

Karate, Ages four through grade one, six weeks, Sat., April 6-May 18.

T-ball, Grades K through two, \$18, six weeks, May 13-June 24, Sign up by April 12.

Shriners Circus for, special needs, Sat., May 19, 9 a.m. to noon, free.

Tennis lessons, \$10, Saturdays at the North, starting May 4 for five weeks.

Fishing derby, All ages, \$3, ages 18 and over, \$1 ages 17 and under; Sat., June 8, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Olympic Figure Skating Show, April 19 at 8 p.m., \$26 and \$36.

Golf lessons, Ages 13 and over, Sundays 3 to 4 p.m. April 28-May 26, \$75. Advanced course for ages 13 and over, 3 to 4 p.m. Sundays, June 23-July 21, \$75. Ages 12 and under, Mon. through Fri., Aug. 12-16, 9 to 10:30 a.m. \$55. Billerica Country Club (includes clubs).

Water Country tickets: Plan ahead. Purchase your 1996 Water Country tickets at \$15 per ticket. The expected rate for 1996 will be \$22 per ticket at the gate.

Phantom of the Opera: Wang Center, Thurs., Aug. 1; 8 p.m. performance, orchestra seats, \$59 includes bus transportation.

Fantastic prices for the Bermuda Cruise of May 19-26 are in. Trip includes round trip motorcoach transportation to Black Falcon Pier in Boston; eight days,

seven nights cruise to Bermuda, baggage handling, all port and departure taxes.

Call 658-4270 for availability and prices.

New York City Day trip, Saturday, May 4, 6:30 a.m. to 1 a.m., \$40. Take coffee; donuts provided.

Martha's Vineyard, Thurs., June 13, 6 a.m. to 8 p.m., \$28. Price includes motorcoach transportation, round trip ferry ride and a stop by

the Sagamore bridge for a visit to the Christmas Tree Shop, gift shop or for something to eat.

Guitar lessons, Grades six-eight, North Intermediate, Wed., April 2-May 29, eight weeks, 2:15 to 3:15 p.m., \$30; West Intermediate, Thurs., Apr. 4-May 30, eight weeks, 2:15 to 3:15 p.m., \$30; grades nine through 12 at WHS cafe, Sat., April 6-May 11, six weeks, 10 to 11:20 a.m.

Goldilocks and the Three Bears, Sat., May 11, 11 show, \$10 includes bus and ticket, great seats; North Shore Music Theatre.

Outdoor Enthusiasts: We're looking for outdoor oriented adults who would like to join others for mountain hikes. Hopefully, we can gather some names so we could put together some day overnight ventures to the hills. Those interested are urged to call.

Three foot, eucalyptus swag

workshop: Each participant will create a 3' eucalyptus swag complete with dried and silk flowers and a decorative ribbon. Chose of colors will be available May 1, \$25.

Sunflower grapevine wreath workshop: Come create an 18" summer grapevine wreath complete with silk sunflowers, dried status, greens and a decorative sunflower ribbon. Three small clay pots full of silk flowers add a special touch to this wall or door decoration. June 12, \$23.

Basketball Camp at North Reading High School

The 15th annual North Reading Basketball Camp will be held at North Reading High School from July 22-26. The camp is for boys entering grades five through ten. The camp will gain be under the direction of Barry Kipnes.

The camp day will run from 98 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Heavy emphasis will be placed on fundamentals and all areas of individual play will be covered. The program of instruction includes station drills, instructional video tapes and individual improvement drills.

The campers will be videotaped while shooting and the tape will be reviewed with a coach. Campers will play two games every day with

each camper playing an equal amount of time.

In the past 15 years, campers have attended from over 25 communities. The camp enrollment has been completely filled the last three years.

Beside the program of instruction, each camper receives a camp t-shirt, a certificate of attendance and a coach's evaluation with suggestions for improvement. Each camper will also receive a 24 page booklet entitled "Skills and Drills." The Fundamentals of Basketball and Much More. This booklet, written by Barry Kipnes, covers all individual basketball skills and describes drills a youngster can do alone to improve his level of play. Over 19 thousand copies of "Skills

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON



BOARD OF SELECTMEN PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held in Room 9 at the Town Hall, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA at 7:10 P.M. on Monday, April 22, 1996 by the Board of Selectmen in compliance with General Laws Chapter 140, Section 59 on the application of C.J. Patti, Car Mart Inc. for a Class I and a Class II Garage License to operate an automobile agency for the sale of new and used motor vehicles to be located at 275 Main Street, Wilmington, MA.

Diane M. Allan, Chairman
Board of Selectmen
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MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Premises: 85 Walcott Street a/k/a Lots 92 and 93 Walcott Street, Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Edward G. Glavin and Paula C. Glavin to First Eastern Mortgage Corporation dated March 21, 1989 and recorded with Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 4835, Page 345, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 12:00 P.M. (noon) on the 1st day of May, 1996 A.D. at or upon the mortgaged premises, 85 Walcott Street a/k/a Lots 92 and 93 Walcott Street, Tewksbury, Massachusetts, as described below, being all and singular the premises described in said mortgage.

To wit:
The land, with the buildings thereon, situated in Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts and being more fully described as follows:

Parcel 1
The land in Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, situated on Walcott Street, and shown as Lots 412 and 414 inclusive on a plan of land entitled, "Oakland Park C" in Plan Book 24, Plan 23, recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, to which plan reference is made for a more particular description of said premises. Said premises are also shown as Lot 92 on Town of Tewksbury Assessors Map 81.

Parcel 2
The land in Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, situated on Walcott Street, and shown as Lots 491 to 495 inclusive on a plan of land entitled "Oakland Park C" in Plan Book 24, Plan 23, recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, to which plan reference is made for a more particular description of said premises. Said premises are also shown as Lot 93 on Town of Tewksbury Assessors Map 81.

For reference to title see deed from Richard Sughrue, Clara Sughrue and Kenneth R. Sughrue to Edward G. Glavin and Paula C. Glavin to be recorded herewith.

TERMS OF SALE: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all outstanding municipal or other public taxes, tax titles, assessments, liens or claims in the nature of liens, rights of tenants and parties in possession, and existing encumbrances of record, if any, which take precedence over the said mortgage above described.

FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/100 (\$5,000.00) must be paid by certified, bank, treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser as a deposit. The balance of the purchase price is to be paid in cash, or by certified check, bank cashier's check or bank treasurer's check within 30 days thereafter at the Law Offices of Shapiro & Kreisman, 492 Old Connecticut Path, Framingham, MA 01701 (508) 872-0221.

The description for the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.
Federal National Mortgage Association said Mortgage

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY



PLANNING BOARD LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING

The Tewksbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on April 22, 1996 at 7:15 PM at Town Hall on the application of J.D.B. Realty Trust & James Andella for a Definitive Subdivision.

Said property is located on Tewksbury Assessor's Map(s) 112 Lot(s) 1, 109, 62, Briana Lee Circle. Copies of the petition may be viewed Monday through Friday during normal business hours at the Planning Department located at Sughrue DPW Building, 999 Whipple Road.

Brian R. O'Connor
Chairman
A3,10

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY



PLANNING BOARD LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING

The Tewksbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 22, 1996 at 7:30 PM at the Town Hall to consider amendments to section 3, Zoning Districts of the Tewksbury Zoning Bylaws.

Copies of the petition may be seen Monday through Friday during normal business hours at the Planning Department located in the Sughrue DPW Building, 999 Whipple Road.

Brian O'Connor
Chairman
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BOARD OF APPEALS

Public hearings will be held at the Tewksbury Town Hall on April 29, 1996 beginning at 7:30 P.M. on the following applications:

LEGAL NOTICE

7:30 P.M. Muro Pharmaceutical, Inc., Owner of Record - Muro Pharmaceutical, Inc. for a variance from the requirements of Section 5.3.3.c of the ZBL to construct an attached addition to existing building. Premises located 890 East Street, Assessor's Map 103 Lot 1, located in a 1H District.

7:40 P.M. Jeanette B. Sullivan, Owners of record, John F. & Jeanette B. Sullivan for a variance from the requirements of Section 5.2 and 5.3. Para 2 of the ZBL for a proposed dwelling. Premises located at 1009 Livingston Street, Lot 1 and Lot 2. As a party aggrieved, for review of a decision made by the Building Commissioner. Assessor's Map 63 Lot 17, zoned R40.

Edward Johnson, Chairman
Board of Appeals
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TOWN OF TEWKSBURY



CONSERVATION COMMISSION LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING

The Tewksbury Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on April 17, 1996 at 8:00 PM at the Town Hall on the application of Town of Tewksbury for a Notice of Intent to work within one hundred feet of a bordering vegetated wetland. Said property is located on Tewksbury Assessor's Map(s) various Lot(s) various Starr & Martha Ave. Copies of the petition may be viewed Monday through Friday during normal business hours at the Planning and Conservation Department located at the Sughrue DPW Building, 999 Whipple Road, Tewksbury, MA.

Vincent Spada,
Chairman
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CONSERVATION COMMISSION LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING

The Tewksbury Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on April 17, 1996 at 7:30 PM at the Town Hall on the application of Arthur St. Pierre for a Determination of Applicability. Said property is located on Tewksbury Assessor's Map(s) 98 Lot(s) 71, Shawsheen Street. Copies of the petition may be viewed Monday through Friday during normal business hours at the Planning and Conservation Department located at the Sughrue DPW Building, 999 Whipple Road, Tewksbury, MA.

Vincent Spada
Chairman
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT THE PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT DEPARTMENT MIDDLESEX DIVISION

DOCKET NO. 96P1523EP
Estate of John P. McCarthy late of Tewksbury in the County of Middlesex died on Feb. 26, 1996

NOTICE
A petition has been presented in the above-captioned matter praying that a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased may be proved and allowed and that Kevin J. McCarthy of Dover in the State of New Hampshire be appointed executor without giving surety on his bond.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge on or before 10:00 in the forenoon on May 2, 1996.

In addition you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating the specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the Court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, Sheila E. McGovern, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge, the second day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-six.

Donna M. Lambert
Register of Probate
A10

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT DEPARTMENT Middlesex Division

Docket No. 96D-0906
Summons by Publication
Pay K. Anderson, Plaintiff(s)

v.
Bruce A. Anderson, Defendant(s)
To the above named Defendant(s):
A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s) Pay K. Anderson, seeking Divorce.

You are required to serve upon Kenneth J. Butterworth attorney for plaintiff(s), whose address is Marcotte Law Firm, 45 Merrimack Street, Lowell, MA 01852, your answer on or before June 17, 1996. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Cambridge.

Witness, Sheila E. McGovern, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge, this 19th day of March, 1996.

Donna M. Lambert
Register of Probate Court
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THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT

(SEAL) Case No. 226974
To Esther G. Block; and all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended:

Household Finance Corporation II claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Wilmington, numbered 35 Clark Street given by Esther G. Block to Household Finance Corporation II, dated April 20, 1992, registered with Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry District of the Land Court as Document No. 140064 as noted on Certificate of Title No. 30093 has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the 20th day of May 1996, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, ROBERT V. CAUCHON, Chief Justice of said Court this 2nd day of April 1996.

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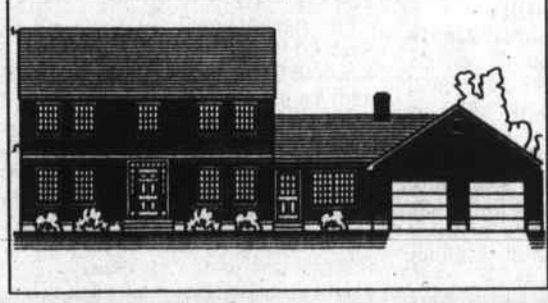
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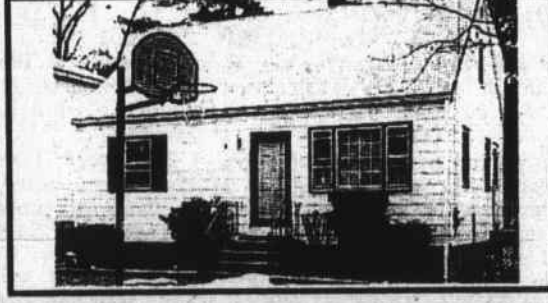
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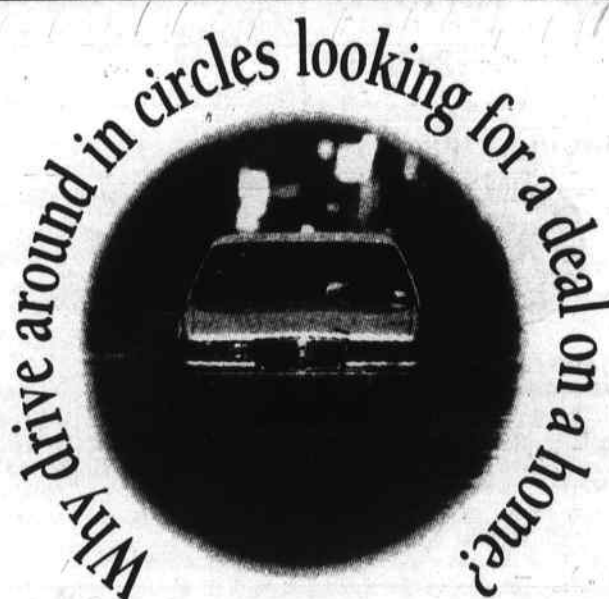
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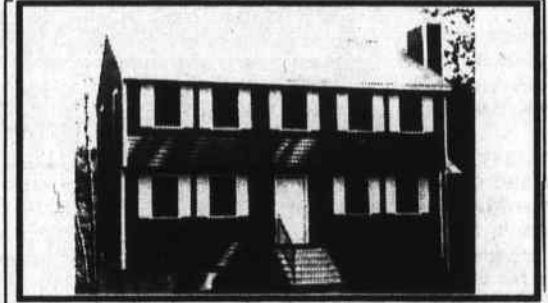
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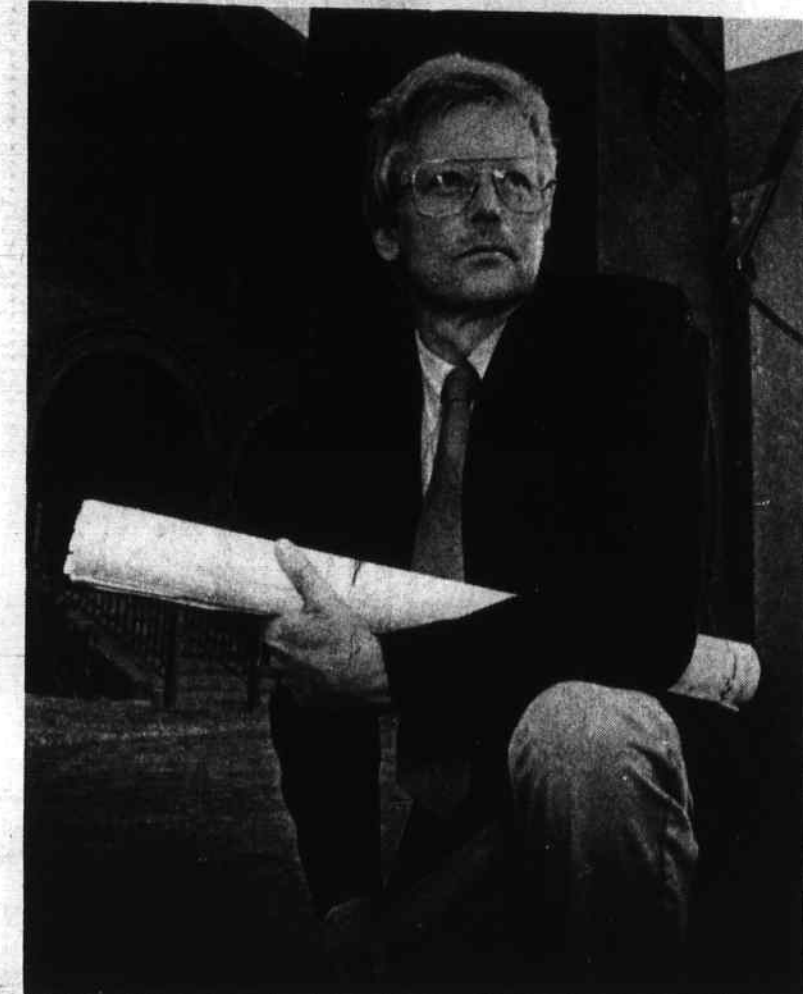
Two unique sides of Boston's 100th marathon

*He doesn't run but you can see
the impact of Mark Flannery*

by JIM GOLDSMITH

When the winner of the 100th Boston Marathon collapses into the arms of race officials next

Monday afternoon a man who has been running another marathon for one year will be just as deserving of the victor's laurel wreath.



WINCHESTER RESIDENT MARK C. FLANNERY, A LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT, has worked this past year to create a lasting memorial to all runners of the Boston Marathon. The granite monument will be unveiled in Copley Square on April 15th, the 100th Anniversary of the Marathon.

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It will endure as a tribute to all runners who have been punished by rain, wind, snow, numbing cold and Heartbreak Hill.

If one were to compare Mark C. Flannery to some outstanding characteristic of the Boston Marathon it would probably be a tradition of excellence sustained and nourished by endurance.

Flannery would be easily lost in the marathon mass of humanity at 5'7", but his enduring monument to worldwide runners will have an historic impact on a city known throughout the world.

The Royalston Avenue resident is soft spoken, humble and enthusiastic when he discusses his favorite subject these days - a commission to create a lasting monument to runners and the communities through which they race every Patriot's Day.

Early last year the Winchester resident was among three or four people asked to submit their design concepts to the Boston Athletic Association. When he was chosen from a short list in early spring 1995 Flannery says, I was very excited.

The Penn State graduate with a bachelor of science degree in landscape architecture says, "We were basically on our own marathon to make this project

Mark Flannery to S-4



At my birthday party last month, Aunt Nora led the singing with "Happy Birthday to you. You belong in a zoo. You look like a monkey and you WRITE like one too"

A friend of mine made almost a million dollars selling men's suits. The poor chap lost it all on one SKIRT.

Everyone who reads Woodchips knows that I hate long political speeches, Motor boat oratory and L-o-o-o-n-n-g sermons.

My Aunt Nora had a bright idea. She would sit near the

door of the church and, as soon as the sermon became boring and repetitive she would pinch the bottom of the baby in her arms. When the poor kid began screeching she would get up and leave. Invariably two or three perfect strangers would get up and follow her out making people believe they were part of the family.

I remember when Lt. Steven Ford was sent to investigate a complaint that someone was playing a saxophone at 3 o'clock in the morning. Lt. Ford said to

Woodchips to S-8

*Blind runner Linda Bolle sets
her sights on finishing unless...*

By DOUG WOOD-BOYLE

Now is the one thing that can kill the hopes, dreams and hard work that Linda Bolle has

put into her appearance next Monday at the One Hundredth Annual Running of the Boston Marathon.

Marathoner to S-6



THEY ARE READY for the One Hundredth Annual Running of the Boston Athletic Association's Marathon. Ned (r) and Linda Bolle will be running to raise money for the Massachusetts Association for the Blind. She has been legally blind since birth. (Don Young photo)

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About The Towns

by Phyllis Nissen

On the right side of the tracks

An end run in Lynnfield

The B&M Railroad has been scheduled to abandon its railroad tracks from Lynnfield to Danvers, according to a report by Lynnfield Planning Board Chairman Alan Dresios to the Selectmen.

Dresios suggests the town pursue the development of the tracks - which had been used once daily for a freight run - into walking, jogging and bicycle trails, through the Metropolitan Area Planning Council.

"This is a tremendous opportunity," notes Selectman Arthur Bourque, according to the Lynnfield "Villager." "The railroad tracks go through some of the prettiest areas of town."

A different sort of spring sale

"A lot of businesses run sales this time of year, to celebrate the onset of spring," notes the North Reading "Transcript."

"This sale is different. This gives everyone a chance to participate in something of lasting value to the community, for generations to come."

The North Reading Land Utilization Committee has launched a fundraiser focused on helping to build the Ipswich River Park and is soliciting help from local businesses and citizens to "help realize the dream of a first class recreational facility between Haverhill and Chestnut Streets."

Individual donations of items - like trees, picnic tables and bricks for the garden in the front of the park - are most welcome.

The LUC is looking to meet a June 1st deadline at which time it may apply for another grant for the park. Funds raised through the current effort can be applied as the town's portion of the matching grant.

Send your donations to Land Utilization Committee, c/o Town Hall, 235 North St., North Reading, MA 01864.

Think of it as adding a K to LUC.

Two 'K' would probably be oK, also.

As of the first day of spring

"A snowflake may not weigh much or take up much room, but if you put a few trillion of them together in one place, it gets costly."

So notes the "Town Crier" in its report on Tewksbury's 124 inches of snow this season, snow budget of \$200,000, and expenses of \$554,833.

The most expensive snow and ice year in the town's history, however, was in 1994, when 80.1 inches of snow fell and the town paid \$472,020 to remove it.

The bright spot, according to the "Crier," is that federal reimbursements this year are expected to total as much as \$132,000.

Another bright spot in Tewksbury? See below.

Raytheon springs for Tewksbury- "The Raytheon Company last week made a donation to the Tewksbury schools that could have long-range benefits for the company, the town, and the United States itself," notes the Tewksbury edition of the "Town Crier."

Raytheon has donated \$500 to sponsor a Tewksbury chapter of the Future Scientists & Engineers of America.

-With spring in full swing ... And everyone making tracks for summer comes... this reminder:

"The trouble with jogging," says Franklin P. Jones, "is that by the time you realize you're not in shape for it, it's too late to walk home."

That's the good thing about treadmills.
Or the bad.

"About The Towns" covers recent events in the 13-town Middlesex East area. Because Middlesex East deadlines are early, please check the front sections of this paper for up-to-date information about your city or town. We also welcome original material - please send it to Phyllis Nissen, "About The Towns," Middlesex East Supplement, Box 240, Reading, MA 01867.

BRMC births

MR. and MRS. DANIEL FORD (Susan Blacker) of Reading, announce the birth of their son, Kevin Roy Ford, on March 28. He joins his sister Melissa and brothers Brian and Brendan. Grandparent honors are extended to Mr. & Mrs. Roy Ford of North Reading and Mr. & Mrs. Jack Hughes of Reading.

MR. & MRS. ERIK NEWTON (Nicole Bessler) of Everett, announce the birth of their son, Cameron Matthew Newton, on February 26, 1996. He joins his sister Myranda and Taylor. Grandparents honors are extended to Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Bessler and Ms. Laura Bessler of Everett and Ms. Francis Newton of Woburn. Great Grandparent honors are extended to Mrs. Elizabeth Puleo and Mrs. Charlotte Bessler of Everett.

Birth

MICHAEL AND KAREN (RAFFERTY) BARYS of Milford, announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Kayla Anne, on February 27, 1996 at Metro West/Framingham Union Hospital.

Grandparent honors are extended to John and Nancy Rafferty of Reading, Meghan Rinker of Fort Lauderdale, Florida and Joseph Barys of Worcester.

Great grandparent honors are extended to Joseph and Helen Peltier and Walter Barys, all of Worcester.



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Music concert April 14 at First Parish Church

A concert of music for viola and organ will be presented at First Parish Congregational Church on Sunday, April 14 at 4:00 pm. The program will feature violist Maureen Gallagher and organist Fred Broer performing *Concerto for Viola and Organ* by Michael Haydn, *Marchenbilder* by Robert Schumann, *Sonata "Arpeggione"* by Schubert, and *Trauermusik* by Kindemith.

Maureen Gallagher resides in New York City where she is a member of several prestigious music ensembles, and has performed frequently in Europe, Mexico, Japan, and throughout the United States. With Orpheus Chamber Orchestra, she has recorded over forty CDs including performing as viola soloist in Mozart's *Symphonie Concertante*. Ms. Gallagher has performed in Carnegie Hall and Avery Fischer Hall of Lincoln Center as a member of the St. Luke's Chamber Ensemble and as co-principal violist of the Orchestra of St. Luke's. She has also performed with numerous chamber music ensembles including the New Jersey Chamber Music Society, Speculum Musicae, and has appeared as guest artist with the Emerson, Orion, Cleveland and Tokyo String Quartets. Ms. Gallagher is currently principal

violist of the New York City Ballet Orchestra.

Fred Broer is music director and organist at First Parish Congregational Church in Wakefield. He has appeared as organist and pianist in recitals at First Parish Church as well as other locations throughout New England. Mr. Broer holds a Doctorate Degree in Music from Boston University, is director of the Wakefield Festival Chorus, and director of the North Shore Conservatory of Music at Endicott College.

The Concert on Sunday will be held at First Parish Congregational Church, One Church Street in Wakefield on Lake Quannapowitt. A five dollar donation if requested for admission. The church is handicapped accessible, and there is ample free parking. For further information call the church office at (617) 245-1539.

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Comedy Club Manager turns runner

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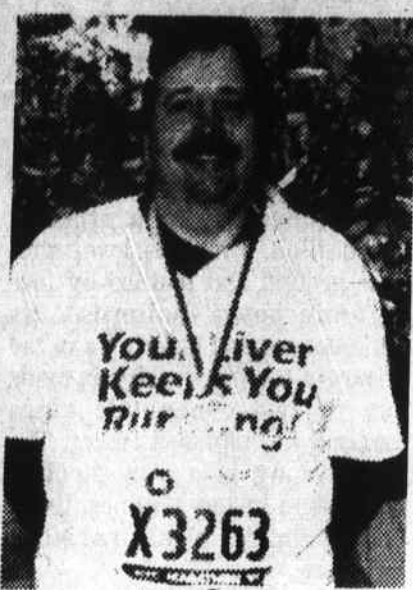
On April 15, when the starter gun goes off for the 100th running of the Boston Marathon, Ron Sava, Grill '93 General Manager will be amongst the 37,000 registered runners. And when the first place runner crosses the finish line, Ron will be at about the half way mark.

"This is my 3rd marathon, and about my 150th road race and hopefully my best!" says Ron.

Ron is running to benefit those who cannot. As one of the members of the American Liver Foundation Run for Research Team, Ron has raised a significant amount of money for the American Liver Foundation. The American Liver Foundation conducts research for the more than 100 diseases that affect the liver. The team slogan "YOUR LIVER KEEPS YOU RUNNING" is true in many ways.

Because of his involvement with the comedy club, Ron has some funny insights into the running of this years marathon.

Ron says this year there's going to be 2 famous people who run in the marathon whoever



Ron Sava

comes in first and whoever comes last. "I don't have a shot at first place, but I do have a good shot at last," states Ron. Ron recently ran in the November running of the New York City Marathon. Ron doesn't look like a runner, and for several months after the New York marathon, he carried around his medal to prove it. What's the worst thing about being a slow runner? According to Ron, it's having to use the port a potties after 25,000 people have used them before you.

Ron objects to the age categories of the various races. He would rather see weight categories. "Then I would definitely be first in my category" he says.

Ron runs about 50-60 miles each week to practice for the Marathon. His goal is just to finish. "I know I won't be first but I'm just happy that the finish line is still there when I get there." The incentive that keeps me running is knowing that the money that I have raised for the American Liver Foundation will be put to good use for research.

Ron runs the entire distance non-stop, although his interpretation of running may not agree with the seasoned marathoner. Many times he has been passed by fast walkers, but he still continues to run his own pace.

A special comedy show dedicated to all 300 runners on the Liver Team will be on Thursday

night, April 11, with a free Pasta buffet for all who attend. Admission for non liver team marathoners is only \$4 and all others \$8 and all door admission money is being donated to the American Liver Foundation.

Donations for the American Liver Foundation can be made by sending a check made payable to "American Liver Foundation" and mailing it to "The Comedy Palace," River Road, Andover, MA 01810.

Show times are: Thursdays 8:30, Friday and Saturday 7:30 and 10:30. Reservations suggested, 508-687-2442. Grill 93 is on Route 93 in Andover at River Road, Exit 45.

Comedy pianist Dale Gonyea in Stoneham April 14th



"Versatile, clever, imaginative the ultimate act!" That's what one critic at the New York Times says about the performances that Dale Gonyea, an Emmy award winning comedian pianist, gives for audiences nationwide.

Gonyea will be performing the third concert in Stoneham's 50th season on Sunday, April 14, at 3 pm in Stoneham High School Auditorium.

Gonyea, who has been acclaimed as Victor Borge's heir, is the winner of numerous

awards, and has written for, among others, Disney, Bette Midler, and Ray Stevens. He has also played on the Andy Williams show and at Caesar's Palace in Las Vegas.

Gonyea's act will combine some of the more than 500 comic songs he has written with masterful piano playing.

Tickets are available at the door for \$15. For more information about the concert, contact Kathleen Bray at 617-438-7961 or Stephanie Maughan at 617-932-9989.

Planned Parenthood shows the benefits of laughter

The Planned Parenthood League of Massachusetts (PPLM) presents critically acclaimed comedy headliners Jonathan Katz and Jimmy Tingle in "The Benefit of Laughter," on Monday, April 22, 7:30 in John Hancock Hall, on the corner of Berkeley and Stuart Streets in Boston.

The evening also features a special guest host recognized

nationally for her award winning humor. Concert tickets are \$30 and \$50. Friend, patron and Benefactor tickets, which include a Champagne/Dessert Reception with the performers, are also available for purchase through the Planned Parenthood League of Massachusetts.

Concert tickets are available at all Ticketmaster outlets. To charge tickets by phone, call Ticketmaster at 617-508-931-2000.

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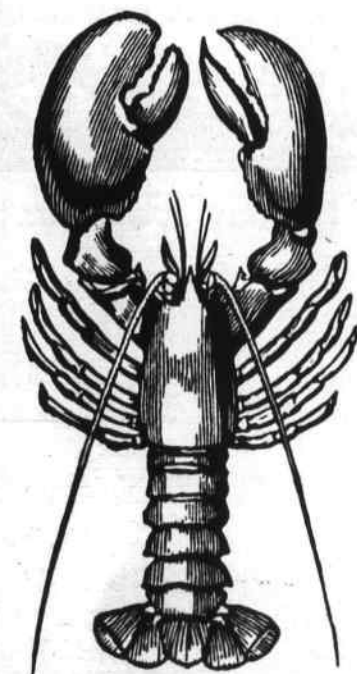
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Marathon

Marathoner from S-1

That is why she is hoping that the New England weather will get Winter out of its system this week and leave her with snow free and ice free streets to make her 26.2 mile run from Hopkinton to Boston's Copley Square on Monday.

This is a run that Bolle, a Reading resident, has been training for since November and the record snowfall this past Winter did not make her job any easier. The reason is that Linda, a normally very independent person, has to give into her blindness and run with her husband, Ned Bolle, acting as her sighted guide.

"I can't run in snow or ice even with Ned as a guide," Linda said.

"So long as it doesn't snow on Patriot's Day we will be all set," Ned said.

Linda admits that the weather

has set her back somewhat but when it was too snowy or icy outside the couple reverted to indoor tracks, treadmills and a trip to Florida.

The latter had the added benefit of giving them the chance to run in warm weather just in case the warm weather predicted for Friday and Saturday holds out through Monday.

"It was quite an adjustment after the 30-degree weather here to run in 70-degree to 80-degree weather," Ned said. "We will remember about hydrating."

The down part to running in Florida, "There weren't any hills," Linda said.

In fact these two days of snow this week could put a little setback into the couples training program.

Ned explained that now is the important time for the couple to be doing long runs, especially over the 26-mile course.

"Linda needs to go on the course to visualize it," he explained.

As of a week ago, Saturday, Linda worked her way up to the 20-mile mark with five months of training.

"The week before I was up to 18-miles" she said. "so I have been gradually working my way up."

In November she was only running 10 to 20 miles per week.

She offers the following training tips, "Give yourself plenty of time to prepare both physically and mentally."

She also explains that the workouts should be gradual to cut down on the chance of injury.

Linda further advises that people training for the marathon should run with a large group of people.

"I think it's important just for the psychological aspects to join some kind of running club, even if it is just a group of friends."

"It helps to have the support of friends," Linda said.

Commenting on her conditioning on the day after her first 20-mile run, Linda said, "I feel pretty good. I hope I feel this good after the marathon."

The couple has been running with a group of about fifty people that has been loosely organized by the FitCorps Spas to help out people, like Linda, who are running to support a charity. Linda's project is the Massachusetts Association for the Blind (MAB).

MAB has been serving blind and partially sighted people in the Commonwealth since 1903 with a number of different services.

Donna Bailey, the agencies coordinator of the Community Volunteer Program, said that the services are designed to "...help the individuals achieve independence in their lives."

Through its four offices, Brookline, Worcester, Springfield and Fitchburg, the agency runs a volunteer program that provides one on one service to those that need someone for about two-hours-per-week to make out checks, read their mail to them or have some shopping done.

Other services include a Braille transcription department and recording studio to transcribe print material into mediums that the blind can use.

MAB also has a community education department with speakers that are available to talk to interested groups, an

information and referral service and a store selling talking clocks, Braille and large print watches, tape recorders, canes and low vision items that assist the blind and partially sighted person.

Although she is blind, Linda explained that she has not had any need to use the MAB's many services.

With the FitCorps group she and Ned have started the run in Hopkinton and have made it as far as Boston College.

On their own, during the week, the couple has run the course from Boston College to Heartbreak Hill and back.

"It helps us to get used to the hills," Linda said.

Although she is a novice at the Marathon, Ned is experienced. He ran last year as a "bandit" and qualified for this year's Centennial Anniversary Run by completing the Bay State Marathon last fall in under three hours and fifteen minutes.

"He looked pretty beat up when he came back the first time," Linda said. "He came back looking pretty healthy from the Bay State Marathon."

"I learned a lot of lessons the hard way, Ned said. "I ran better the second time."

He is working to make sure that Linda does not repeat his mistakes.

It was about the time of Ned's second run that Linda discovered that the MAB had several numbers set aside for their "Team With A Vision" and found that she could qualify to run and raise money for the group at the same time. The Team is made up of 17 sighted and partially sighted runners and 40 guides or independent runners.

"I thought it would be a good idea to run for them and help raise money," Linda said, "rather than just run for myself."

She offered to find another guide to allow Ned a chance to set a good pace for himself.

However, he has committed to be by his wife's side for the whole course.

"No way," Ned was quoted as saying. "If you are going to run the marathon, I'm going to run with you."

Linda explained Ned's job in all of this. "He will run along side of me and steer me clear of potholes and other obstructions."

Ned does this with verbal commands.

Although Linda has been legally blind since birth she has enough partial sight to see shapes and does not think the crowds at the race's start will be a problem.

"I have some vision," she said, "I don't need a cane."

During one of their recent runs, the couple ran into a lot of traffic and had to resort to the sidewalk.

"He had to steer me around a lot of things," Linda said.

The couple have known each other for 14-years and have been married for six years. They have been running for 10-12 years.

According to Linda, they started running as a good way to get in shape and stay in shape without having to join a health club.

"All you need is a good pair of running shoes and you can do it anywhere," she said.

She is originally from Fairhaven and he is from Francistown, NH. They have been living in Reading for the past five years.

Linda works as a supervisor in the Notes Support Group of Lotus Development Corporation in North Reading and Ned is a transportation manager with Fine Arts Express, a nationwide moving company.

Both companies are supporting the couple in their fund raising efforts.

Marathoner to S-6

Mark Flannery

From S-1

work within one year. A real challenge. We were running all the time or else it wasn't going to happen." (on time for April 15th).

The centerpiece of the granite monument is a striking medallion, which is level with the ground and framed by four granite posts (bollards). Its uniqueness and beauty lie in the heart of the piece which is made up of two concentric rings around a sculptured center. The inner ring is a run through marathon history; Names, times and countries of all marathon winners.

The centerpiece draws the eye and the beholder into the marathon and its rich history adding texture, color, and a sense of continuity. Flannery says, "Ninety five percent of the monument is made of granite and five percent bronze to create durable materials that add color and diversity. From African red granite to granite (mined from a Hopkinton, MA quarry).

"In between there is Chelmsford granite representing the sky. The overall effect ties in the traditional elements of Boston and the eight different communities (which are part of the marathon route)."

What has been the most rewarding part of the commission for the 150 pound landscape architect? Flannery says, "Being able to use all my skills: (as a) landscape architect, my background in analysis, and graphic presentations to develop my design vision."

The Boston Marathon means different things to every man and woman who has run and stayed the course. For Mark Flannery and his dream design team the jury is still out. The deciding vote will be cast by the public. Flannery explains, "Basically it will be judged by the runners of the world, the Boston Athletic Association and the people of Boston. It's extremely gratifying going from the landscape design plans to

being able to work on the 15' diameter medallion.

"It just looks so exquisite. It has been a team effort an excellent client, granite fabricators, sculptors and the execution of the installer. Everybody had to be excited about this to have it work."

To get another perspective of Mark Flannery's work and his vision this writer interviewed Robert E. Shure a Woburn sculptor who won the Presidential Design Architect Award in 1995 for his bronze portrait of George Washington.

Mr. Shure and Robert Lamb of Lincoln, RI were hired by Mr. Flannery to do the running icons located on each bollard facing the center of the monument. What does he think the importance of these running icons is?

The Woburn sculptor says, "They are just one of the elements that contribute to the significance of the whole thing. The symbolism of this is pretty important; the running icons represent the wheel chair (division), men's and women's divisions, single women's and single men's divisions and a male runner taking a cup of water from a spectator."

Was Robert Shure excited about his running icons? Ever humble and modest, the Woburn sculptor says, "It was a great project a good team effort. Bob Lamb is an excellent artist. I always try to do the best quality work I can, and I'm always busy. So it was successful in that sense."

What did his research turn up in this commission? Shure says, "With the Boston Marathon's 100 year history you try to show designs to be almost symbolic. A male runner running on a cobblestone street."

The complex and at times difficult negotiations among participants which included the Boston Athletic Association, The Boston Arts Commission, a neighborhood association and Mark Flannery, tested each

artist's patience and creativity.

Robert Shure says, "It was a type of thing that needed approval of people from different fields. To fulfill all of those needs was a part of the challenge of the project and make it unique. I enjoyed working with him (Mark Flannery) a lot. He is very meticulous and precise. He attends to every little detail."

The next time you visit Copley Square take the time to see this outstanding monument to the men and women who find the inner strength to stay the grueling 26.2 mile course.

Next Monday the trim landscape architect plans to be at the finish line of the Boston Marathon. How fitting that his monumental vision lies just around the northwest corner at Copley Square Park.

Birth

BRIAN AND VICKI (ARSENAULT) KLINKA of Westford, announce the birth of their third child, a daughter, Jenna Lynne, on March 22, 1996 at the Boston Regional Medical Center. She joins her brother, Derek, and sister, Molly.

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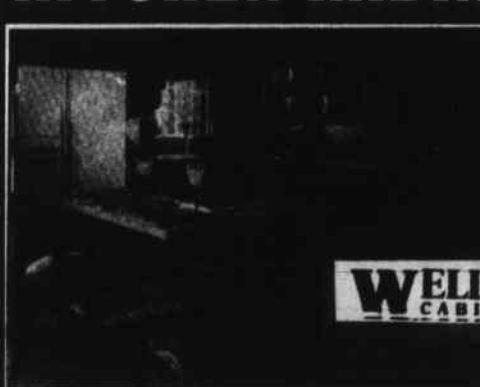
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A Listing of Interesting Events and Happenings

MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE

The Trustees of the Dr. Thomas P. and Edwina H. Devlin Medical Scholarship Fund announce the availability of applications for the 1996-97 academic year. Financial grants may be applied toward tuition, books, and equipment, and are paid directly to the schools.

Applicants must be residents of the third Middlesex District: Melrose, North Reading, Reading, Stoneham, Wakefield, Wilmington, Winchester, and Woburn. Candidates must also be accepted at an accredited medical or nursing school. Students in pre-med or other allied health fields are not eligible.

The degree to which we are able to provide financial assistance varies from year to year, depending in part, on the generosity of our contributors who make donations in the form of memorial gifts, general donations, or bequests. In recent years we have awarded scholarships to between five and ten students annually, in amounts ranging from \$100 to \$1,800.

Candidates are judged on the basis of scholastic merit, personal character, financial need. The deadline for applying is June 1. Applications may be obtained, or contributions made, by contacting Mrs. Jo Devlin, 34 Pleasant Street, Stoneham, MA 02180, 617-438-7828.

GUIDED WALKS OFFERED AT THE BROOKS ESTATE

BEPA will offer two Guided Walks at Medford's Brooks Estate in April, offering an introduction to the history and habitat of Brooks Estate: April 14 (Sunday) at 1:30 pm and April 27 (Saturday) at 10am.

The Brooks Estate is contiguous to the Winchester Town Forest. Walks last about 90 minutes. Meet at the blue Brooks Estate sign on Grove Street, which is just south of the

Winchester Medford line on Grove Street. Please park off Grove Street and not in the Oak Grove Cemetery.

The Walks are sponsored by the Books Estate Preservation Association, the community group working to preserve the Brooks Estate forever. For more information or a free newsletter or a Walking Map, please call 396-3001.

SPRING JOB FAIR AT BUNKER HILL

The spring Job Fair at the Charlestown campus of Bunker Hill Community College will be held on Thursday, April 25, from 10am to 1pm. Students and alumni at the Charlestown, Chelsea and Cambridge campuses will have the opportunity to talk with more than 25 participating employers.

Contacts at past job fairs have led to employment. Students, alumni and employers who wish more information may call 617-228-2245.

HOUSE OF THE SEVEN GABLES PRESENTS

Learn professional trade secrets and techniques that will improve gardening skills and efficiency from Garden Curator Robyn Kanter's lecture entitled Gardening in the Nineties: Timely Solutions.

In today's hectic society, with extreme demands on time and energy, a garden, if well conceived, can be a welcome retreat. Learn to manage all the work that goes into creating a successful garden while saving time and money.

The lecture will be held at the Seaman's Visitor Center, The House of the Seven Gables, Salem, on April 18 at 10:30 am. Admission will be \$4 for Gables members and \$5 for non members. After the lecture, visitors are welcome to view the Colonial Gardens of The House of the Seven Gables in their

early blooming stages.

ARTS CORNER VACATION PROGRAMS

The Children's Arts Corner announces its APRIL VACATION CREATIVE ARTS PROGRAM, April 15 to 19 at 1403 Massachusetts Ave., Lexington in the Munroe Center for Arts.

Programs are for children ages 3 to 6 years.

Join for a week long adventure in the Creative Arts. Creative movement, music, arts and crafts, creative dramatics, French through song & dance, tumbling and puppet shows will be part of the curriculum. Program meets Monday through Friday from 9:30 to 12. Call 617-862-3117 for information.

LIVER SCREENING AT BRMC READING

Boston Regional Medical Center will hold a free walk-in liver screening and information session on Wednesday, April 17 from 8 am to 4 pm at its North Reading Medical Center located at 21 Main Street (Route 28). No appointments are necessary.

During the session, medical professionals will be available to answer questions about liver diseases and individuals will have the opportunity for a free Liver Function Test. This is a simple blood test that can detect changes in the liver.

The event is part of LIVER AWARENESS, APRIL '96, a month long series of American Liver Foundation sponsored programs throughout New England. The programs are offered to increase the understanding of the liver and how to prevent, detect and ultimately cure liver diseases. Early prevention, detection and treatment are effective ways to ensure good health, and lower health care costs.

For more information about the screening on April 17 call the North Reading facility on weekdays from 8am to 4pm at 508-664-9532 or 617-979-4660. Questions can also be directed to the medical center's public relations office at 617-979-7016.

CHRONIC FATIGUE GROUP MEETING

The support group for Chronic Fatigue Immune Dysfunction Syndrome/Fibro Myalgia Syndrome has changed its date and location.

Starting April 14, the group will meet at Winchester Hospital on the second Sunday of every month at 3 pm.

The group is free and open to the public. For more information, call 617-438-6962.

SIXTH ANNUAL WALK FOR WOMEN'S LIVES

Organizers of the Walk for Women's Lives announce this year's three mile walk through Concord to be held on Sunday, April 28th at 12pm will have local speakers and entertainers. This year's Walk Rally will be held at the Concord Academy on Main Street. Everyone is welcome to walk or attend the rally.

The latest statistics confirm that domestic violence and violence against women remain

cause for great concern and immediate action. Every six minutes a woman is raped in the United States. Every fifteen seconds a woman is beaten so badly she needs to be hospitalized. The number one cause of birth defects is the beating of women during pregnancy. One in three women will be the victim of sexual assault. It is crucial that more be done to change these numbers, to provide services for women and their families.

The spring walk benefits seven non profit organizations serving victims of violence against women in Massachusetts: The Support Committee For Battered Women, Inc. based in Waltham; Women's Protective Services based in Framingham; Alternative House based in Lowell; Assabet Valley Rape Crisis Center based in Marlboro; Rape Crisis Services of Greater Lowell; Women in Community Service based in Boston; and the Network for Women's lives based in Concord.

DEFENSIVE SHOTGUN COURSE OFFERED

For many generations, the shotgun has been a traditional tool for protecting one's family and home. However, few people have received the training necessary to maximize the effectiveness and safety of their defensive use of a shotgun. Now, for the price of one, two can receive this training.

AWARE, a charitable group teaching women effective means of self protection, provides this training in its Defensive Shotgun course. This course not only teaches you how to use a shotgun, but also when you can use one tactically, legally, and ethically.

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Special attention will be paid to the needs and requirements of women and to the advantages women have in controlling violent confrontations. The course is also open to men. There will be a combination of lecture, discussion of actual and hypothetical situations, and hands on

range work.

The course will be taught by Roger Lanny, who is a Director of AWARE, police level defense instructor, a Smith & Wesson Certified Shotgun Instructor, and a Contributing Editor of Women & Guns Magazine.

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To take this course persons should already understand basic firearms safety and have some familiarity with shotguns. Registration in advance is required. Reserve space by sending a copy of a FID or firearms license and a \$20 deposit to the address below.

The date and time is Saturday, May 4. Sign in at 8:45, class work 9 am to 6:30 pm. The location is Harvard Sportsmen's

Club, Harvard, Ma., The Fee is \$65 (includes materials).

BOYS CLUB HAS GOLF TOURNEY

The Boys & Girls Club of Greater Billerica will be having their Annual Golf Tournament on Monday, May 6th at the Indian Ridge Country Club in Andover. There are both AM and PM flights available.

All proceeds directly benefit the 1400 youth members of the Boys & Girls Club. For registration information please contact

the Boys & Girls Club at 667-2193.

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY HAS WALKS

The MS Society will hold 17 Walks across Massachusetts to benefit multiply sclerosis research and provide funds for services.

Events will take place in Marblehead, Marlborough, Cohasset, North Attleboro, Westport, Northampton, Southbridge, Worcester, Boston Concord, Haverhill, Taunton, Hyannis, Plymouth, Greenfield, Pittsfield, and Springfield on April 20th and 21st.

For more information or to register or to volunteer, call the MS Society at 1-800-493-WALK.

NORTHERN ESSEX STUDENTS VISIT INDIA

Thanks to a new program co-sponsored by Northern Essex Community College and the University of Massachusetts, Lowell, Students will now have the opportunity to explore the cultural heritage and historical traditions of India.

The two schools are jointly sponsoring a study abroad program, offered in India with Bangalore University in Bangalore. This program, under the aegis of the College Consortium of International Studies, is accessible to all qualified U.S. Students across the nation. Thus, NECC students, along with many others from around the country, will have a unique opportunity not previously available.

The one semester program features five specially designed courses, including "Colloquium on India's Culture," "Hindi Language," "Contemporary Social Issues," "History of Modern India," and "Government and Politics of India."

Through its membership in the consortium, NECC now makes available programs in more than 18 countries, including China, Ecuador, England, Ireland, Italy, Mexico, Russia

School Notes

by Phyllis Nissen

Attention, all juniors

The Boston Area National College Fair will be held on Wednesday, May 1st and Thursday, May 2nd at Boston's World Trade Center - and the National Association for College Admission Counseling is expecting so many visitors that it is requesting that geography determine travel times. Students from outside 128 are being asked to attend the fair on Wednesday; those inside 128 are invited on Thursday.

At this point, well over 375 colleges and universities have registered. "High school juniors should find this program helpful as they begin their college search with the opportunity to obtain information from a diverse group of institutions, talk with their representatives and take advantage of a variety of individual counseling services at the on-site Counseling Center," notes Jim Ryan, in a letter to area guidance counselors. "Seniors who are still looking to apply to school may also be interested in attending."

"We encourage young people you work with and their parents to attend this Fair."

The fair is open on Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., and on Thursday from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

and Spain among others.

For more information on the Study Abroad Program, contact Sellers at 508-374-3806.

VOLUNTEER TUTOR TRAINING FOR ENGLISH

A five part workshop to train VOLUNTEER TUTORS to teach English as a Second Language (ESL) to adults will be held on

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For more information, contact your guidance counselor or Jim Ryan, of the Boston National College Fair Executive Committee, at Weston High: (617)899-0620. The National Association for College Admission Counseling is located in Alexandria, Virginia.

A bit of Reading in Woburn

Sew what? Check out Woburn Adult Evening School, and fire that question at Reading's Ponny Wood, instructor of "Getting to Know Your Sewing Machine."

"The first class," notes the apricot brochure, "will teach you how to thread your machine and wind the bobbin properly. You will also learn about tension and how to care for your machine. The second class will cover various stitches and the uses of the attachments such as the cording and zipper foot, the straight and satin stitch foot. You must bring your own machine AND the owner's manual."

"Whether or not you have ever put a brush into paint, this course will give you a complete understanding of the basics of the beautiful art of stenciling," notes the same brochure.

Reading High PTO President Donna Martinson is traveling to Woburn to teach "Decorative

Stenciling," a course in which "You will be advised on how to prepare surfaces to be stenciled and guided in choosing the right stencil patterns. Instruction will include shading and color blending. You can expect to complete eight take-home projects."

Woburn Adult 'Ed, by the way, is always looking for "new and different courses. Send a description along with your resume and you might find yourself on the fall schedule. All courses are taught at Woburn High, 88 Montvale Ave. For more info, call evening co-directors Elaine Dougherty or Barbara Takach at (617)937-8222.

A vacation in Worcester

On April 18th, Worcester Polytechnic Institute will hold its annual Project Presentation Day, a full-day - including lunch - presentation of more than 250 presentations, including those in the areas of science, engineering, computer science, management, and liberal arts. 'Columbia' astronaut and WPI Professor Al Sacco is the luncheon speaker.

Past projects have included a potential cure for AIDS, artificial intelligence expert systems, recycling facilities planning theories of the origin of the solar system, design of a salt water aquarium, design of a digital indoor wireless communications system, conceptual design of a two-stage orbital spacecraft, design of a solar-powered race car, and the design and construction of a rehabilitative mobility device for the handicapped.

Juniors and seniors are invited, through their guidance departments. For more information, call WPI's Office of Admissions at (508)831-5286 of your high school guidance department.

If you'd like to read about your favorite school, student or teacher in "School Notes," please send school newsletters and other relevant information to Phyllis Nissen, "School Notes," Middlesex East Supplement, Box 240, Reading, MA 01867. We welcome student writing.

Wednesday, May 1; Wednesday, May 8; Monday, May 13; Wednesday, May 15; and Monday, May 20 in Burlington. This workshop is offered by the Eastern Massachusetts Literacy Council.

There is a small fee which covers materials to be used in tutoring. At the workshop tutors will be assigned to students in their geographical area.

All registrations for the workshop must be received by Tuesday, April 23rd.

For registration and details, please call the EMLC office at 617-862-3706.

Marathoner

From S-4

Linda notes that Lotus has a policy of paying \$2 for every \$1 that is donated to charity. Due to this she has raised close to \$1,000 in pledges from her co-workers as well as her family and friends.

The money will go the MAB's general operating fund to be used for a variety of reasons that are not covered by dedicated donations.

The pledges are coming in as flat payments and are not based on the number of miles completed.

Linda said, "I am not as concerned about how long (it will take her to run the course) as I am with finishing. I want to be able to finish without stopping to walk."

Her plan is to pace herself at the beginning of the race, depending on the number of people, and slowly build up to the big run. The overall goal is to finish within four hours.

Once this is over the couple said that they will probably take a long rest.

As to their plans for next year, "I think we will volunteer to support the runners if we don't run," Ned said.

Anybody that wishes to pledge to either Linda or Ned's run can contact Linda by calling her office voice mail at (617) 693-3306. They would like to have all of their pledges made by the April 15 running of the race.

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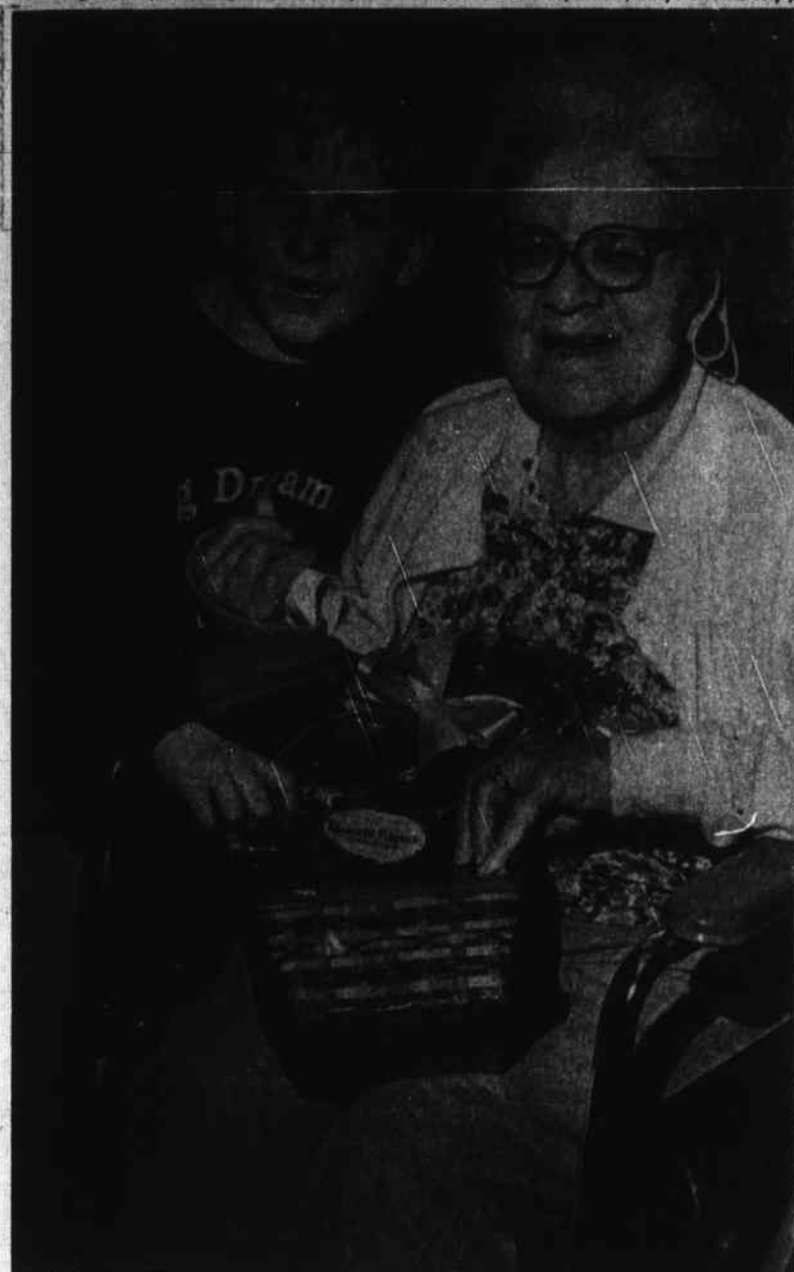
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John Singer Sargent lecture in Wilmington

Although he was indeed an American painter, the name of John Singer Sargent commonly brings to mind the picture of a distinguished English artist. His studio where he primarily worked was of course in England, but he was in fact American, having been born to American parents in Florence, Italy in 1856.

It was in Florence that Sargent began to study art. Determined to be a painter, he continued his studies in Paris, and it was here that he achieved

his first successes. It was here that he painted, "The Daughters of Edward D. Boit" in 1882, the famous portrait which hangs in Boston's Museum of Fine Arts. He was to become the chosen portraitist of America's international elite, to which he himself belonged.

The Wilmington Council for the Arts is pleased to present Mr. Charles Movalli of Gloucester in a lecture to be held on Saturday, April 13, at 1pm. His talk of Sargent promises to be of much interest to those who

would know more of this painter of Isabella Stewart Gardner.

Charles Movalli received his BA from Clark University and his PhD from the University of

Connecticut. He belongs to many art associations, among them the North Shore and Rockport Art Associations, Hudson Valley, and the Guild of Boston Artists.

Art Exhibit and Sale in Reading April 12

The Reading Art Association has scheduled their annual Spring Art Exhibit and Sale for:

Friday, April 12th 7:30 to 9:30PM

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'96 Stamp Show and Exhibit

The Malden Stamp Club will hold its 58th Annual Stamp Exhibition and Bourse at the Norman Prince Palace Hall at 428 Main Street in Melrose on April 13 and 14. The show will

open Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free.

The exhibition will consist of more than 200 pages of philatelic material provided by the members.

Special awards presented by the American First Day Cover Society, the American Topical Society and the Lighthouse Stamp Society will be given out.

The Bourse will include a dozen dealers from the New England area. A US Postal Service substation with a complete stock of all current stamps and postal stationery will be at the show on Saturday.

The public is cordially invited to attend this exciting sale and exhibit. There is no admission fee and refreshments will be served on Friday evening when the winners of the various awards are announced.

Many of the artists will be in attendance for the awards ceremonies and it is an opportune time to meet with a particular artist whose work you find enjoyable.

Luke Volpe, a talented and generous award winning artist of Melrose, is donating a watercolor which will be sold at the show. There will also be unframed art and designer notecards for sale.

President and chairperson for this exhibit Lexie Donahue is busily coordinating the membership as much hard work and coordination is needed for a successful show. This year the Richard B. Kimball Co., a consulting engineering firm in Reading will be a sponsor for the show. Any other businesses that are interested in sponsoring any show of the Reading Art Association should contact Mrs. Donahue at 508-664-1734.

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MOVIES

"Primal Fear" Short Takes

Primal Fear starring Richard Gere, Laura Linney, John Mahoney, Alfre Woodard, Frances McDormand, Edward Norton. Directed by Gregory Hoblit. Screenplay by Steve Shagan, Ann Biderman. Based on the novel by William Diehl. Produced by Gary Lucchesi. Rated R.

This is one tough thriller. It's clever and duplicitous and memorable, but most importantly, it keeps you guessing. Not only does it surprise along the way, but the ending packs a hell of a punch.

There isn't one misstep in the entire film. Red herrings and plot twists are woven tightly into a intelligent script about a hot shot attorney who goes looking for the limelight, and finds it filled with shadows. Richard Gere gives one of his most compelling and economical performances as criminal attorney Martin Vail. He's a man who admires his own brilliance, luxuriates in his success and acknowledges his arrogance. It is not until the story unfolds does he realize exactly how arrogant he really is.

Vail has jumped head first into the case of a teenager altar boy accused of murdering the Archbishop of Chicago. Even though the kid was found covered in blood, he looks and sounds like a boy scout. Vail is convinced he can get him off. He doesn't care whether he's a murderer or not, that's not part of the game.

A similar callous attitude pervades the film, which is partly why it is so interesting. This is not just about one criminal case, but about the movers and shakers who keep a city together, and the sense of entitlement that accompanies their power. That the murder case may also encroach upon a far reaching web of political corruption gives the story added depth.

Though this is director Gregory Hoblit's feature film debut, he cut his teeth on TV, picking up nine Emmy's for producing and directing. Not only did he coax amazing performances from his actors, but he paid close attention to visuals in which light and shadow are as important as the players. A small example of Hoblit's careful direction is a scene in which he cuts between Vail and the prosecuting attorney (Laura Linney) as they write their opening remarks to the jury. Their speeches are narrated over trial preparations, right up to the time each enters the courthouse. It was a brilliant way of moving the action along while making a minor scene seem less so.

Such detailed attention is obvious throughout the film. This is especially true of the supporting cast, as each character brings a marked individuality to players that are sometimes on screen for only a few minutes. Alfre Woodard is clearly jaded as the judge presiding over the trial, while Steven Bauer plays a hood whose motives are more wholesome than the powerful State's attorney, (John Mahoney).

Of course, none of this would have worked without the mesmerizing actor not only holds his own against such cinematic veterans as Gere, but he's the glue binding together this flinty thriller. Expect more from him, and from Hoblit.

Sgt. Bilko is a tepid retelling of the TV series starring Steve Martin as the scamming sergeant. Martin is still adept at physical humor and there are some strong points, such as Glenna Headly as Bilko's sometimes fiancée. Still, the plot is watery and familiar, so much so that most of the laughs are quickly diluted. Rated PG. **

A Thin Line Between Love and Hate tries to turn "Fatal Attraction" into a comedy, and then back into a thriller. There are some fine performances, especially Lynn Whitfield as the angry businesswoman who really doesn't take to being jilted. The problem is writer/director/producer/star Martin Lawrence, who mugs too much for the camera and doesn't come across as a ladies' man. Also, the sexist morality play in which he's a dog and she's a lunatic is getting a trifle stale. Rated R. **1/2.

Faithful is one of those analytical plays that couldn't make the leap to the big screen without talking the audience to death. There's not much realism in this supposed black comedy about a businessman who puts out a contract on his wife's life for their 20th wedding anniversary. Strong performances by Cher, Chazz Palminteri and Ryan O'Neal almost compensate for Palminteri's weak script, but not quite. Rated R. **

A Family Thing is a contrived, but heartfelt reunion drama in which Robert Duvall discovers his African-American roots. James Earl Jones is the half brother who teaches Duvall a few things about the meaning of family, even though the set-up is too convoluted to believe, but the performances are touching, especially Irma P. Hall, who steals the limelight as an elderly aunt. Rated PG-13. ***



CAN YOU FIND Kim Bennett of Burlington, Shane Barry of Woburn, and Jessica DeVito of Tewksbury? Bennett, Barry and DeVito, along with several other girls from the Middlesex East area, are on their way to Rome, where they will sing for Pope John II, as part of the Wakefield Our Lady of Nazareth Academy Contemporary Christian Choir - one of 10 New England choirs selected for this honor. Almost the entire group, all of whom are members of Nazareth's larger Concert Choir, is pictured above. Both choirs are led by Dr. Patricia Tamagini and Lora Tamagini of Wakefield. In the bottom row, holding their sheets of music, from left to right, are: Kerri DeRoche of Melrose, Gina Consolo of Saugus, Mary Cronin of Stoneham, Candice Spencer of Everett, Nicole St. Hilaire of Lawrence, Nicole Rudolph of Medford, Amanda Carey of Lawrence, and Rachel Pearlman of Malden; second row: Jenifer Fontana of Billerica, Tammy O'Connor of Melrose, Jessica DeVito of Tewksbury, Melissa Sullivan of Malden, Jeannette Bateman of Medford, Annalisa Avola of Malden, Bernadette Vitti of Stoneham, and Rachel Keniston of Billerica; third row: Ingrid Abad of Lawrence, Alyson Crowley of Malden, Stephanie Lubin of Medford, Amanda Swanson of Saugus, Katherine Webster of Melrose, Shane Barry of Woburn, Laura White of New Hampshire, and Julie-Rae Mandell of Lawrence; top row: Kristin Walker of Medford, Kristen LaMonica of Revere, Kim Bennett of Burlington, Kathleen Hyde of Lynn, Emily Collins of Melrose, Alexandra Tice of Andover, Kathleen Cunningham of Georgetown, Vikki Withrow of Medford, Laura Sambol of New Hampshire, Michelle Ellis of Somerville, and Katherine Tomich of Prides Crossing. Missing from the photo but on the flight are: Lisa Reynolds of Andover; Kate Pelletier of Hudson, Shirley Garcia and Maria Rivera Gonzales of Lawrence, Claire Hyde of Lynn, Tina Sferlazzo of Lynnfield and her mother Adrienne Grill of New York, Aurora Avola of Malden, Kerry Kavanaugh, her grandmother Loraine DeTucci, Meghan McDougall, and MaryEllen Walker of Medford, Jennifer Parziale of Melrose, Adrienne D'Ippolito and Robin Stec of Revere, Julie Costa of Saugus, Maria Touet of Stoneham, Lucy Mathews of Wakefield, and Alice Sambol, Dr. Charles White, and Nancy White of Atkinson, New Hampshire.

Reading Co-op names Bauer director

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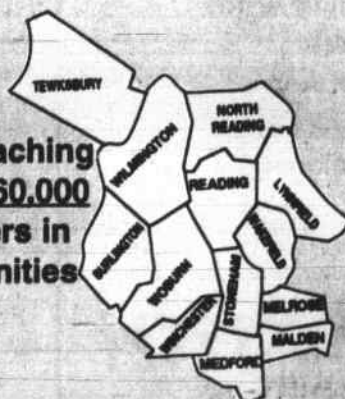
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the budding musician, "If you insist on playing that instrument at 3 in the morning you'll have to accompany me!" "No problem Sir," the man replied, "What song do you wish to SING?" The speed limit on some highways has been increased to 65 miles an hour. My friend John Giordano was obeying the old 55 mile an hour law and was stopped by a highway patrolman. "I guess you know why I stopped you?" "Yes sir, I know I was the only one you could catch!"

Frank LeMoure thinks that "Hertz Van Rental" was a famous "Dutch Painter."

George Gould told me that reading Woodchips is like when Bob Bonney crossed a crocodile with an abalone and got for his efforts a "Crock of Baloney," and that's what your column is Fatso.

I remember when my nephew Dennis Tully asked Juanita Haas in the card shop, "Do you have any cards that say, 'My LOVE is for only YOU?'" "Yes they are right here." "Good," Dennis said, "I need six of them!"

Well folks, it was bound to happen. The sermon was so long, a poor chap died right in the pew. The medics were called and they rushed in with stretchers. The medic in charge told the head usher, (after the sixth person was carried out), "we finally got the RIGHT one!" Note, the sermon droned on through all the commotion.

PERSONALITY WINNERS, Walter McPartlin, Donna Quinno, Edward N. Johnson, Steven Bunker, Pam and Ty Dickenson, Thomas P. Devine, Eugene J. Collins, David Butterworth, Camille Selvitella, and Don Harris, all of WOBURN.

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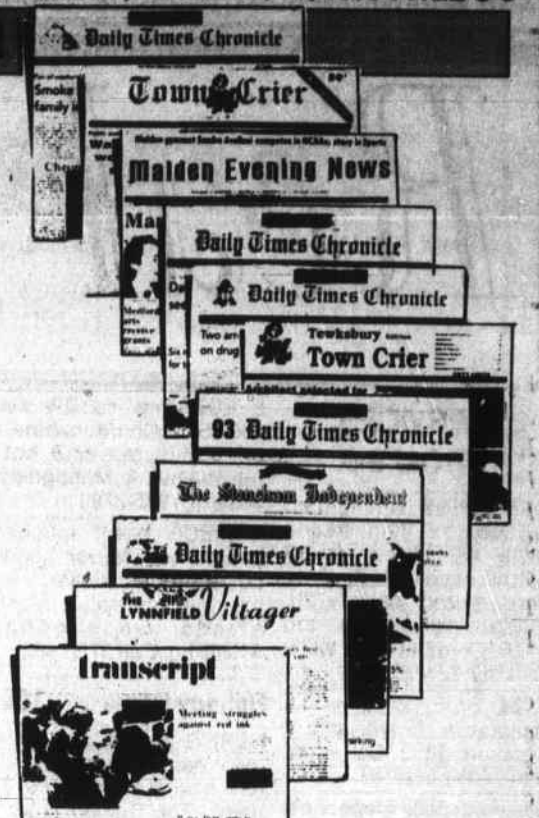
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New England Serum Company

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Tractor/Trailer Drivers needed. Could lead to full-time position. You must be able to read, write and follow instructions; possess a valid CDL license; and meet specific DOT physical requirements. One year of experience with a good record of previous employment is preferred.

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LYTRON, INC.
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If you are interested in Respite Care Provider opportunities, or are interested in utilizing this service, please contact Donna Murray, Program Director at (617) 756-4756, or Human Resources representative at (617) 756-2147. You may also visit to submit a completed application at the Senior Health Partnership located at Baldwin Park 1, 12 Alfred St., Suite 307, Woburn, MA 01801. We are an equal opportunity employer.

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As a respected leader in the healthcare field, Winchester Hospital is recognized for adhering to the highest standards in our health-care network.

PATIENT SERVICE ASSOCIATES

Full-time, Mon-Fri, 11am-7pm position. Must have 1-3 years registration experience, medical terminology and strong interpersonal skills preferred. Per Diem, day/eve/night/weekend positions also available.

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Full-time, Mon-Fri positions. Must have third-party billing experience with emphasis on Blue Cross/Blue Shield. Must be able to handle heavy telephone volume and patient contact. Knowledge of Meditech a plus.

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Part-time, 8am-5:30pm position. Responsible for housekeeping, inventory, and patient transport.

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Part-time, 11:45pm - 8:15am, Fri-Sat position. AS or BS Degree in Criminal Justice preferred or 1 year of security experience. CPR certified and hospital experience preferred. Per diem day/eve/night/weekend positions also available.

Please send resume to Job Code: JAD at Human Resources, Winchester Hospital, 41 Highland Avenue, Winchester, MA 01890; or Fax: (617) 756-2908. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Mail resume to:

Digital Graphics, Inc.

Attn: Scott Landry
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Winchester Nursing Center
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Experienced Diesel Generator Service Technician

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for more information

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Full Time

Monday-Friday, 40 Hours

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05-18

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942-2101

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Musical Comedy for Cancer Society

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You watched Senator Dorra give away the bridge at "Stella and Angelo's Wedding." Now he is giving away America! Come meet the Heritage Party candidate Senator Frank Dorra. He wants his palm greased to raise money for this presidential bid! Everything is up for sale! No offer is too small! Everything must go! This will be the most unconventional political event you have ever attended.

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Home with country flair

Twin gables, arched windows and a covered front porch give a country flavor to the Jasmine, a mid-size home that offers plenty of private living space.

French doors open into a fully enclosed formal parlor. This uniquely shaped room has an arched window overhead, is brightened by bay windows and

expanded by a vaulted ceiling. The entryway, too, is vaulted and bathed in natural light from a second high arched window. Vaulted ceilings also expand the sense of spaciousness in the master suite and family room.

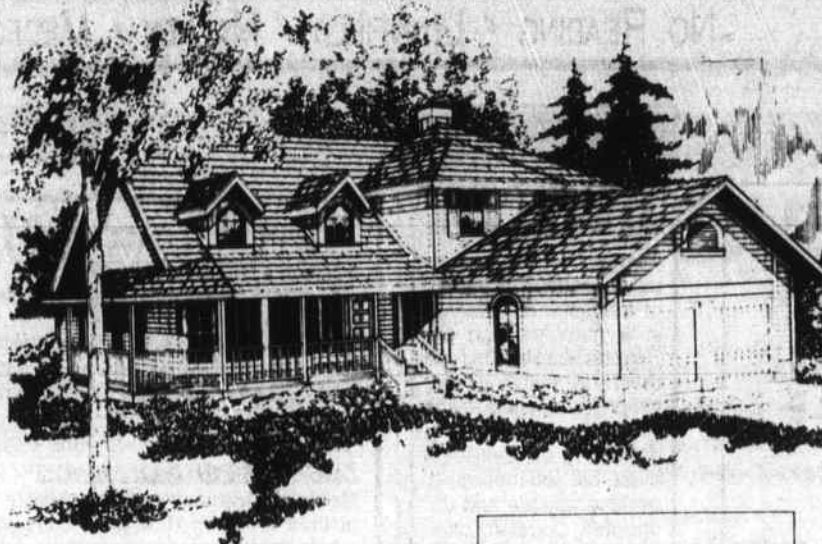
The sumptuous master suite shares the quiet side of the home with the parlor. Bathrooms and a curved staircase serve as buffers, blocking the sounds of active family living emanating from the family room. Features include deck access, a large walk-in closet, and a second vanity outside the bathroom.

An eating nook is on one side of the U-shaped kitchen and a large family room with a fireplace is on the other. The formal dining room is but a few steps away. Range and oven are built into an eating bar, convenient for service to all three eating areas. The step-in pantry is tucked into a large utility room that features a laundry chute.

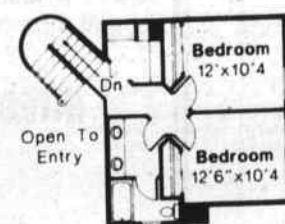
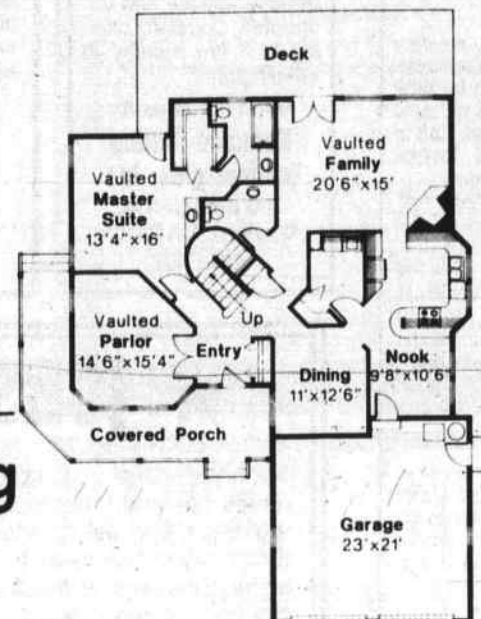
Storage space is abundant in this plan. It has an entry closet, another closet tucked under the stairs and more storage at the second floor landing. Overhead storage can also be created in the two-car garage.

The upstairs bedrooms in the Jasmine share a two-section bathroom. The twin-basin vanity will be especially appreciated if teens share this space.

For a review plan, including scaled floor plans, elevations, section and artist's conception, send \$15 to Associated Designs, 1100 Jacobs Dr., Dept. P, Eugene Oregon 97402. Please specify the Jasmine 10-001 and include a return address when ordering. A catalog featuring over 170 home plans is available for \$12. For more information, Call 388-634-0123.



Jasmine 10-001
Living Area: 2143 sq. ft.
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Title 5 forum in No. Reading for public on April 22nd

Priscilla Missick, principal broker of Fitzgerald & Associates is sponsoring a Title 5 forum for the public on April 22.

Although Title 5 revisions have been in effect for a year, many homeowners are not aware of the impact the regulations have on their property.

The state mandated new regulations last year after many years of a status quo basis. Title 5 is the health regulation which governs the passing or failure for private sewer systems.

Massachusetts registered professional engineers with a concentration in civil sanitary, or environmental engineering, Massachusetts registered sanitarians and certified health officers may perform inspections.

"The regulations that were originally mandated have been revised a couple of times, that's the reason we thought the public would benefit from a non-threatening program," said Fitzgerald. "We have been getting a lot of calls asking for information."

We are pleased that Warren Pearce, a North Reading Title 5 expert will be conducting the program. Officers of Fitzgerald & Associates and mortgage finance officer Sharon Breault will be on hand after the program for more specific questions.

The program will be held at the Congregational Church on Haverhill St., April 22 at 6:30 pm. Seating is limited so please call to reserve a place at Fitzgerald & Associates at 664-4709.

Realtor Names in the News

Jodi Fitzgerald of Fitzgerald & Associates Real Estate has successfully completed Course

102 of the 1996 Realtor Institute of Massachusetts held recently

at Realtors headquarters in Waltham, according to Massachusetts Association of Realtors President, Laura Shifrin.



Jodi Fitzgerald

The Association sponsors institutes throughout the year for Realtors and Realtor-Associates as part of its continuing education program. Upon completion of six fifteen hour courses, Institute participants receive the nationally recognized designation "GRI" (Graduate, Realtor Institute).

Of over 82,000 GRI's nationwide, there are over 2,500 in Massachusetts. The Institute includes such subjects as Residential Construction and Design, Listings, Pricing, Property, Marketing, Law, Finance, Ethics, Management, Advertising, Environmental, Issues and Taxation. Course 102 covers Risk Reduction and Taxation. Some sixty people attend the Institute.

Jodi Fitzgerald is associated with Fitzgerald & Associates in North Reading.

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Realtor Names in the News



Helen Hill, Richard Carlson

READING - Helen Hill of the Carlson Real Estate/Better Homes and Gardens office in Reading received the company's 10 Year Service Award, recognizing her consistent service to the area's home buyers and sellers since 1985.

Chief Executive Officer Richard Carlson presented Hill with the award at the Carlson Real Estate/Better Homes and Gardens Annual Awards Banquet held recently at the Burlington Marriott, Burlington. The event recognized achievement in residential sales for 1995.

"Helen is one of the most established sales associates in the Reading marketplace," said Carlson. "Her experience and personal service approach is the reason for her longevity in the real estate industry."

Carlson Real Estate maintains a strategic alliance with Better Homes and Gardens Real Estate Service. Through this business alliance, Carlson Real Estate/Better Homes and Gardens is able to provide residential real estate service throughout New England, with the added benefit of extensive national and regional marketing support.

Helen may be reached at the Carlson office located at 55 Haven Street, Reading or by calling (617) 942-1500.

England's annual awards extravaganza, held at the Copley Marriott, Boston. Nearly 1,200 RE/MAX affiliates were in attendance.

"Dottie's sales performance is indicative of her commitment to her clients and her profession. She has clearly demonstrated the skills that make her among the most successful agents in the real estate industry," said Bill Soteroff, regional

director of RE/MAX of New England.

RE/MAX is an affiliate of the Colorado-based RE/MAX International. There are over 2,400 RE/MAX offices and 39,000 sales associates in the RE/MAX network across North America.

On average, RE/MAX Associates have ten years of experience in the real estate industry. Each office is independently owned and operated.

For all your real estate needs, Dottie can be reached at her office at 100 Main Street, Reading, (617) 944-6060, ext. 229.



Marsha Weiss

Realtor Names in the News

Marsha Weiss of RE/MAX Top Achievers in Reading received the 100% Club award for outstanding achievement. 100% club members represent the highest level of achievement in the Real Estate industry and are truly the top producers in an organization that prides itself on providing the very best service and results to home buyers and sellers. In 1995, 295 sales associates qualified for this category, out of 1400 agents in New England.

A frequent recipient of awards, Marsha is a graduate of the Realtor Institute (GRI) and holds the coveted Certified Residential Specialist Designation (CRS.) A full time

Realtor in the community for many years, Marsha makes her home at the Greens in North

Reading with her husband, Marty. She can be reached at 617-944-6060 or her home office at 508-664-5301.

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Dottie Vaccaro

Local Realtor Dottie Vaccaro of RE/MAX Top Achievers, Inc. in Reading, recently received the 1995 RE/MAX Executive Club Award for Outstanding Achievement.

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I'm going to be painting my own house this spring. At what outside temperature can I start painting?

The Rohm and Haas Paint Quality Institute has given new meaning to the old saying, "Mind your P's and Q's." It's their formula for a great exterior paint job:

- Prepare the surface;
- Purchase the right paint;
- Pick the correct tools;
- Paint in good weather; and always keep Quality in mind!

Prepare the Surface

Good surface preparation requires that the surface be clean, sound and free of all foreign material so that the paint can adhere well to the substrate below. You can clean exterior surfaces by vigorously hand-washing with a long-handled brush and warm, soapy water (use a commercial cleaner or ordinary household detergent.)

To speed up the process, consider power washing, which is also the most effective way to rid large exterior surfaces of dirt, chalk and mildew - even loose, peeling or flaking paint. If loose, flaking or peeling paint is present and you are not power washing, then it is imperative that you scrape and sand the surface before attempting to apply any type of primer or paint.

Any glossy spots that will be painted also require light sanding so that the new paint will adhere properly. Likewise, bare wood that has been exposed to the elements for more than a few days should be sanded. Be sure to brush off any dust or particles left from scraping and sanding before applying paint.

Purchase the Right Paint

For most exterior applications, it's hard to beat a top

quality acrylic latex paint. This type of water-based paint has superior adhesion, so it will drip and tenaciously hold on to a properly prepared surface.

Another benefit of top quality acrylic latex paint is its flexibility, which enables it to expand and contract with the surface below, helping to avoid a host of paint problems.

That's not to say that latex paint is always your best choice, however. If you are painting over more than three or four coats of oil-based paint, another coat of oil-based paint is probably your best bet. Oil-based paint also adheres better to extremely chalky surfaces.

Pick the Correct Tools

You'll get the best results from top quality exterior paint if you apply it with high quality brushes and rollers.

If you are working with latex paint, use brushes and rollers made of synthetic materials. Natural bristles and fibers tend to absorb too much water, whereas synthetic bristles and fibers hold their shape and maintain the proper stiffness when exposed to water-based paints. Brushes or rollers made with either synthetic or natural materials can be used when painting with oil-based paints.

Brushes should be well-balanced and springy; the best brushes for most exterior jobs contain multiple lengths of split bristles packed tightly together. If using a roller, be sure that the nap length is appropriate for the type of surface being painted. The general rule is the smoother the surface, the shorter the nap; the rougher the surface, the longer the nap.

Paint in Good Weather

Ideally, exterior painting should be done when the temperature is between 60°F and 80°F and when there is little or no wind. Other weather-related points:

- It's best to avoid painting in the glaring sun, which can make the surface temperature 10°F to 20°F higher than the air temperature (especially on aluminum or other metal substrates.)

- If painting must be done in hot weather, try to paint surfaces when they are in the shade. The north and west sides of the home are shaded in the morning; the south and east sides in late afternoon.

- Painting in cold weather (below 50°F) also can adversely affect film formation. The north side of the home is particularly vulnerable because it gets the least sunshine, and the surface may be even cooler than the air temperature.

- Latex paints can be applied just 30 minutes after it rains, assuming the surface is not visibly wet. Oil-based paints should be applied only to thoroughly dry surfaces.

Keep Quality in Mind

Most important, if you always keep quality in mind while preparing and painting your home's exterior, you'll be able to reap the rewards for up to ten years of more, according to the Paint Quality Institute.

For more tips on exterior painting, speak with a knowledgeable salesperson at your local paint store, hardware store or decorating center.

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